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SUMMARY.

Rome advices state that the enemy, on the line from the Asiago to the sea, has now about 5000 guns.

The fighting in the battle in the region between the Brenta and the Piave was most sanguinary.

The enemy threw in his reserve divisions without regard for colossal losses.

At the end of the fifth day the hills and valleys were literally covered with dead.

Field Marshal Haig reports that the British repulsed an attack north of La Vacquerie, and slightly improved east of Avion.

A successful raid was carried out north of Bullecourt, dug-outs being destroyed, and prisoners captured.

A French communique states that there has been an intermittent artillery duel along the greater part of the front.

A German attack was repulsed from Chaume Wood, the assailants being dispersed by French fire.

There is fairly great reciprocal artillery activity between the Aisne and the Oise, and on the right of the Meuse.

The Bolsheviks state the Germans, under the armistice have agreed not to transfer their army from the east to the west front.

Mr. Lloyd George's recent speech, in which he expressed the inflexible will of Britain to secure victory, has aroused anger in Germany.

The "Cologne Gazette" says that Mr. Lloyd George's speech is the most immoderate he has ever made.

The "People's Gazette" says: "The speech is that of a man suffering from a mad rage."

It is stated the German Emperor, in a Christmas message, declares Germany will make a final offer of peace.

Reports from Amsterdam state that Admiral von Tirpitz, speaking in Berlin, repudiated the idea of a conciliatory peace.

It would, he said, be necessary for Germany to retain Flanders, Antwerp, Ostend, and Zeebrugge, and take Calais and Boulogne.

"We know," he added, "how to impose such conditions on our enemies as will guarantee Germany the raw materials she lacks."

Professor von Wrangel, a noted pacificist, in Baden, said durable peace was impossible until Prussian militarism was crushed.

The British forces have made a further advance in Palestine and occupied three more villages.

Fifty Australians and New Zealanders on foot were drawn up outside the Jaffa Gate on General Allenby's entry.

They were specially selected in recognition of the services of the Light Horse in Sinai and Palestine.

The Pope, in expressing gratification, said he was most happy to see the Christian nations occupying Jerusalem.

"I trust the occupation of the places where the Prince of Peace lived and died may be a harbinger of the peace all desire," he added.

A British airship, which proceeded on patrol on December 11 and has not returned, is believed to have been destroyed.

A British destroyer was sunk on December 12 after a collision. Two men are missing.

A Paris message says Caillaux protests that he is entirely innocent of the charges preferred against him.

The Danish steamer Peter Willemoes has been torpedoed in the North Sea. Eighteen of the crew were rescued, two being killed.

Speeches were made yesterday by the Prime Minister at Wangaratta (Vic.) and at Albury.

Mr. Hughes said that the cry of assisting the Empire with "food, not men," was hypocritical cant.

The despatch of 7000 men a month under the Government's scheme would not affect the transport of wheat and refrigerated produce.

"Australia can and must send food and men," he said, adding "the need for men is imperative, indeed desperate."

"If we don't do our duty on Thursday history will write us down as craven," said Mr. Cook yesterday.

"To keep Australia free and in a place of honour we must support our army at the front," he continued.

At Marrickville last night Mr. Cook emphasised that we were fighting for our lives.

Dr. Morrison, at the Institute of Journalists' lunch on yesterday, remarked that next Thursday would be a fateful day in Australian history.

Australians had then to decide whether they would follow the path that led to honour or the path that led to shame.

Colonel Bolton says that if Australia's answer is "No" the glorious deeds and sacrifices of her soldiers will be undone.

"Never," says Mr. Davine, president of the Australian Natives' Association, "has the Empire been in such dire peril as to-day."

Surely, he pleads, no patriotic Australian can refuse the appeal for reinforcements for our boys.

Mr. Tudor hopes that the people will "not be deceived by the Government's sugar-coated policy of conscription."

The party is, he says, not opposed to reinforcements, but is opposed to compulsion being used for the purpose.

Several hundred people attended a rally organised by the anti-conscriptionists at the Town Hall last night.

Mr. Conroy contended that Australia was calling men beyond her capacity to equip and feed them.

Archbishop Mannix, speaking in Melbourne yesterday, referred to Mr. Hughes as "largely the puppet of Sir William Irvine."

Sir William Irvine, he said, though not a Prussian born, had the characteristics of a Prussian.

Mrs. W. M. Hughes, wife of the Prime Minister, presided at a women's Union Jack rally in the Melbourne Town Hall yesterday.

A double list of casualties sustained by Australian troops abroad was issued yesterday.

The slaughtermen at Poverty Bay (N.Z.) have carried a motion to refuse to work with Australian slaughtermen who may go there.

The City Council last night discussed for several hours the question of the coal contract, and then deferred acceptance.

The official recruiting figures for last week show that 48[illegible] men volunteered in New South Wales, of whom 256 were accepted.

The total sum now in hand for "Our Day" fund for the British Red Cross is £66,500.

The Government has let contracts running into £1,172,000 for the construction of wheat silos in the country.

A demonstration under the auspices of the Australian League of Loyalty was made in the Town Hall last night.

Speeches were made affirmative of Australia's loyalty to the British Throne and person, and in favour of conscription.

The annual conference of the New South Wales Public School Teachers' Association was opened yesterday.

A batch of New Zealand soldiers will arrive in Sydney by train to-morrow.

A fair volume of business was transacted in investment stocks on the Stock Exchange yesterday.

Among mining shares Barriers came in for solid support at generally improved rates. Gold and copper concerns were dull.

The tea market was fairly active yesterday, and prices were well maintained. Certain New Zealand houses were strong buyers.

Jute fabrics and manufactured metals were steady at last week's levels. Oils were exceedingly active.

Forecast.—Hot, sultry conditions generally, broken by scattered rain and thunderstorms; mainly northerly winds; a cool southerly change shortly affecting the western districts, and spreading eastward to the coast; squally, with disturbed sea, on the extreme north coast.

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Thursday, 20	Hunter, at 11.15	Newcastle, at 11.30
Friday, 21	Newcastle, at 11.15	Hunter, at 11.30
Saturday, 22	Hunter, at 11.30	Newcastle, at 11.30
Monday, 24	Namoi, at 2 p.m.	Hunter, at 11.30
Monday, 24	Newcastle, at 11.15	Namoi, at 11.30
Tuesday, 25	Hunter, midnight	Newcastle, midnight
Wednesday, 26	Newcastle, at 11.30	Hunter, midnight
Wednesday, 26	Namoi, at 11.30	
Thursday, 27	Hunter, at 11.15	Newcastle, at 11.30
Friday, 28	Newcastle, at 11.15	Hunter, at 11.30
Saturday, 29	Hunter, at 11.30	Newcastle, at 11.30
Sunday, 30		Namoi, at midnight
Monday, 31	Newcastle, at 11.15	Hunter, at 11.30
January.		
Tuesday, 1	Hunter, at 11.30	Newcastle, at 11.30
Wednesday, 2	Newcastle, at 11.15	Hunter, at 11.30

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WYANDRA, 4500 tons, 10.30 p.m., MONDAY, Dec. 24. No Cargo.
ARAWATTA, 10.30 p.m., MONDAY, Dec. 31.

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MALLINA (Cargo only), 10 p.m., NEXT FRIDAY, Dec. 21. Calls at Rockhampton.
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TENDERS are invited for FERRY SERVICES between GARDEN ISLAND AND CIRCULAR QUAY for a period of three years from 1st January, 1918, as follows:—

"A."

An approximately half-hourly service to be maintained daily between the hours of 6.45 a.m. and 11.30 p.m. The actual time-table within the limit of the foregoing is not of paramount importance, but Ferries at the following times are to be provided for, viz.:—

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x 6.45 a.m.	4.30 p.m.
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8.30 a.m.	6 p.m.
x 7.15 a.m. Sundays.	
x 8.30 a.m. Sundays.	

This service will be required on seven days a week, and persons who are not supplied with a pass by the Naval Depot, visiting Garden Island or the Mainland, will be required to pay the ordinary fare to the Ferry Company. All Naval Officers and Men in Uniform to be carried without passes.

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Separate tenders are required for both above services, "A" and "B," and tenders to be addressed to the Captain-in-Charge, Naval Establishments, Sydney. Security deposit of Twenty Pounds (£20) will be required. Tenders close at noon on FRIDAY, 21st DECEMBER. Any further information can be obtained on application to the Captain-in-Charge.

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CAPTAIN BENTLEY TESTIMONIAL.

Notwithstanding the lamented death of Captain W. G. BENTLEY, A.R.C.M., Brigade Bandmaster, N.S.W. Military Forces, the Public Meeting convened by the Right Hon. the Lord Mayor of Sydney, for TUESDAY, 18th inst., at 3.30 p.m., in the vestibule of the Sydney Town Hall will positively take place. We would earnestly ask all sympathisers of the movement to attend.

SID SHIPWAY, J. B. TOUGHER, hon. secs., pro tem. 113 Pitt-street, Sydney.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the PARTNERSHIP which has for some time past been carried on by GEORGE CHARLES JONES and DAVID MURRAY, under the firm of MURRAY and JONES, at Sydney, in the trade or business of Auctioneers and Estate Agents, was this day DISSOLVED by mutual consent, and that the said David Murray will continue to carry on the said business.
Dated this 17th day of December, 1917.
D. MURRAY.
G. C. JONES.
Witness: FRANK R. W. LEE, Solicitor, Sydney.

NEW ZEALAND SOLDIERS' RECEPTION SOCIETY, No. 9 Wynyard-street.
Members are hereby notified that the clubrooms will be open to-day (Tuesday), from 1 p.m. till 5 p.m., and from 10 a.m., till 3 p.m. on Wednesday, to entertain New Zealand Soldiers.

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LEGAL Proceedings shall be taken by me against any person slandering my name. Mrs. F. G. KREUTZER, 94 Hayberry-st, North Sydney.

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I AM not responsible for any debts contracted in my name unless by my written authority. MICHAEL [illegible]

NOTICE to Agents.—My Milk Run is absolutely Withdrawn from Sale. E. Comerford, Guildford.

LEGAL NOTICES.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES. Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate of CHARLES WILLIAM WHITE, late of Sydney, in the State of New South Wales, and of the Australian Imperial Forces, on active service, deceased, intestate.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Administration of the Estate of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to the PUBLIC TRUSTEE; and all persons having claims against the said Estate must render same in detail to the Public Trustee, on or before the 17th day of January, 1918. T. W. GARRETT, Public Trustee, Culwulla chambers, Castlereagh street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate of WILLIAM HENRY THOMAS BENNETT, late of Waihemo Station, via Burrowa, in the State of New South Wales, Station Manager, deceased, intestate.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Administration of the Estate of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to the PUBLIC TRUSTEE; and all persons having claims against the said Estate must render same in detail to the Public Trustee on or before the 17th day of January, 1918. T. W. GARRETT, Public Trustee, Culwulla-chambers, Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of JAMES PORTER, late of Nana Glen, in the State of New South Wales, Farmer, deceased.—Notice is hereby given that the accounts in the above Estate have this day been filed in my office, Supreme Court-buildings, Elizabeth-street, Sydney, and all persons having any claims therein are hereby required to come in before me at my said office on or before the seventeenth day of January, 1918, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, and inspect the same, and if they shall think fit object thereto, otherwise if the said accounts be not objected to the same will be examined by me and passed according to law. And notice is also hereby given that on the allowance of the said accounts by the Court commission will be applied for on behalf of the executors of the said Will. Dated this fourth day of December, in the year one thousand nine hundred and seventeen. H. C. MONDAY, Registrar. McGUREN and POLLACK, Solicitors for Executors, Grafton.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will and Codicil of JAMES ALEXANDER TULLOCH, late of Branxton, in the State of New South Wales, Grazier, deceased.—In pursuance of the Wills Probate and Administration Act, 1898, and of the Testators' Family Maintenance and Guardianship of Infants Act, 1916, Notice is hereby given that every creditor or other person having any claim against the Estate of JAMES ALEXANDER TULLOCH, the abovenamed deceased, who died on or about the twenty-second day of September, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and Probate of whose Will and Codicil was on the thirtieth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen granted by the Supreme Court of New South Wales to JANE ANDERSON TULLOCH and JAMES O'BRIEN, the Executrix and one of the Executors appointed by the said Will (the other Executor, CECIL HARCOURT SHELLEY, having duly renounced Probate), is required to send particulars in writing of such claim to the said Executrix and Executor, JAMES O'BRIEN, in care of the undersigned, ARTHUR B. SHAW, at his office hereunder mentioned, on or before the twenty-fifth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, at the expiration of which time the said Executrix and Executor will proceed to administer the Estate of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they then have notice. And Notice is hereby given that the said Executrix and Executor will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim they shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution. Dated this 15th day of December, 1917. ARTHUR B. SHAW, Solicitor, Singleton. By his Agents, Messrs. A. B. SHAW and McDONALD, 163 Pitt-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will and Codicil of JAMES CUMMING PEACOCK, late of Langholm, Scotland, Gentleman, deceased.—In pursuance of the Wills Probate and Administration Act, 1898, and of the Testators' Family Maintenance and Guardianship of Infants' Act, 1916, Notice is hereby given that every creditor or other person having any claim against the Estate of JAMES CUMMING PEACOCK, abovenamed deceased, who died on or about the eleventh day of August, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and Probate of whose Will and Codicil was on the thirtieth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen granted by the Supreme Court of New South Wales to ARTHUR BATSON SHAW, the Executor appointed by the said Will, is required to send particulars in writing of such claim to the said Executor, ARTHUR BATSON SHAW, at his office hereunder mentioned on or before the twenty-fifth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, at the expiration of which time the said Executor will proceed to administer the Estate of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he then has notice. And Notice is hereby given that the said Executor will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution. Dated this 15th day of December, 1917. ARTHUR B. SHAW, Solicitor, Singleton. By his Agents, Messrs. A. B. SHAW and McDONALD, 163 Pitt-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of FRANK JOHN SHARDLOW, late of Bondi, near Sydney, in the State of New South Wales, Master Mariner, deceased.—Pursuant to the Wills Probate and Administration Act, 1898, and pursuant to Testator's Family Maintenance and Guardianship of Infants Act, 1916, notice is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against or upon the Estate of the abovenamed deceased, who died at Imperial-avenue, Bondi, on October 31, 1917, are hereby required to send in full particulars of their claims and demands upon the said Estate to the PERPETUAL TRUSTEE COMPANY, LIMITED, 33-39 Hunter-street, Sydney, the Executors and Trustees of the Will of the said deceased, to whom Probate was granted by the Supreme Court of New South Wales on November 30, on or before the 25th day of January next, in default whereof the said Perpetual Trustee Company, Limited, will after the last-mentioned date proceed to administer the Estate and distribute the Assets among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have notice, and the said Company will not be liable for the Assets, or any part thereof so distributed, to any person of whose claim they shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution. Dated this 11th day of December, 1917. For PERPETUAL TRUSTEE COMPANY, Limited. R. Copland Lethbridge, Manager. SLY and RUSSELL, Proctors.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of ROBERT JOSEPH LENNOX, late of Baldry-street, Chatswood, in the State of New South Wales, Retired Civil Servant, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will and Testament of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to the REVEREND WILLIAM BARRY and FRANCIS NICHOLAS MOLONEY, the Executors in the said Will named, and all persons having claims against the Estate of the deceased are required within fourteen days from this date to send full particulars thereof to the undersigned, on whom all notices may be served. MURPHY and MOLONEY, Proctors for the Executors, 79 Elizabeth-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate of RICHARD CHARLES MESSITER, late of Lakemba, in the State of New South Wales, Tailor, deceased, intestate.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Letters of Administration of the Estate of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to ELIZABETH SYDNEY MESSITER, the Widow of the said deceased, and all creditors and other persons having any claims on the Estate of the said deceased are required to send in particulars of such claims to the office of the undersigned within such fourteen days. And application will also be made that the usual Administration Bond be dispensed with. SHIPWAY and BERNE, Solicitors for the Applicant, 113 Pitt-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate of PATRICK JOSEPH McNAMARA, late of Broke, near Singleton, in the State of New South Wales, Bachelor, deceased, intestate.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Administration of the Estate of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to WILLIAM McNAMARA, the Father of the said deceased; and application will also be made to have the usual Administration Bond dispensed with. And all notices may be served at the office of the undersigned. ARTHUR B. SHAW, Proctor, Singleton. By his Agents, A. B. SHAW and McDONALD, 163 Pitt-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of EMILY ELLA MOORE, late of Paddington, Sydney, in the State of New South Wales, Spinster, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will, and the Codicil thereto, of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to WALTER UTHER SMYTH KING, the Sole Executor named in the said Will; and all notices may be served at the office of the undersigned. And all persons having any claims against the said Estate are requested to send particulars of the same to the undersigned within the time aforesaid. R. T. SMYTH KING, Proctor for Executor, 5 Moore-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will and Codicil of CELIA McLOUGHLIN, late of Dublin, Ireland, Widow, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from publication hereof that the sealed and certified copy of the Will and Codicil of the abovenamed deceased, Probate whereof was granted in Ireland, may be sealed with the seal of this honourable Court, and all notices may be served at the offices of the undersigned; and all creditors and any other persons having any claims against the said Estate are required to send in particulars thereof to the undersigned within such period of fourteen days. MAKINSON and d'APICE, Solicitors, 40 Elizabeth-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate of NORMAN NELSON WHITE, lately a Private on Active Service with the Australian Imperial Force, but formerly of Woodstock, in the State of New South Wales, Labourer, deceased, intestate.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that administration of the Estate of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to EDWARD JAMES WHITE, the Father of the said deceased, and all notices may be served at Woodstock, on E. J. WHITE.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate of WILLIAM EWERT DIXON, late of France, formerly of Narrandera, in the State of New South Wales, Clerk, deceased, intestate.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Administration of the Estate of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to GEORGE HUNTLEY DIXON, the father of the said deceased, and all notices may be served at the undermentioned address. G. H. DIXON, Narrandera.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of ELIZA SARAH STEWART, late of 204 Darby-street, Cook's Hill, in the State of New South Wales, Widow, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to HERBERT MARKS and JOHN WILSON, the Executors named in the said Will, and all notices are to be served at the undermentioned address. HERBERT MARKS, JOHN WILSON, 204 Darby-street, Cook's Hill.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate of CHARLES COLWELL GERMAN, JUNIOR, late of Purlawaugh, in the State of New South Wales, Grazier, deceased, intestate.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Administration of the Estate of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to CHARLES COLWELL GERMAN, SENIOR, of Purlawaugh, aforesaid, Grazier, the father of the said deceased; and all notices are to be served at the undermentioned address; and all persons having any claims against the Estate of the said deceased are hereby required to furnish particulars thereof to the undersigned within one month of the publication hereof. P. E. ROGERS, Proctor for the Administrator, Coonabarabran. By his Agents, BARRY and NORRIS, 15 Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of WILLIAM GEORGE JOHN BENTLEY, late of Double Bay, in the State of New South Wales, Captain in the Military Forces of the Commonwealth of Australia, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to REBECCA ELIZABETH BENTLEY, the Widow of the said deceased, and the Executrix named in the said Will; and all creditors and other persons having any claims against the above Estate are hereby required to send in particulars thereof to the undersigned within the said fourteen days. SHIPWAY and BERNE, Proctors for the Executrix, 113 Pitt-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of GEORGE SMITH, late of Swan Bay, in the State of New South Wales, Farmer, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to ROBERT DAVID SMITH, the Executor therein named. Any person having a claim against the said Estate is required to send particulars thereof to the undersigned within such fourteen days. All notices may be served at the office of the undersigned. RICHARD CYRIL KING KEMP, Proctor, Coraki. By MACGREGOR and PALMER, 131 Pitt-street, Sydney.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of COLIN McLENNAN, late of Sydney, in the State of New South Wales, Surgical Instrument Maker.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to MARY McLENNAN, the Executrix named in the said Will; and all notices may be served at the office of the undersigned, to whom all claims against the Estate are to be sent within such fourteen days as aforesaid. MAKINSON and d'APICE (late Makinson, Plunkett, and d'Apice), Solicitors, 40 Elizabeth-street, Sydney.

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FROM 1/6.

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SPECIAL GIFT PRICE, 10/6.

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BLACK PURE SILK HOSE, full fashioned, with double toes and heels.
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DENT'S 2-dome WHITE KID GLOVES, with Paris points; stitched throughout in Black or White.
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You are perhaps wondering about your holiday apparel—perhaps wondering how and where other women manage to secure such smart attire for every form of holiday making, despite their limited expenditure.

How do they do it?

Farmer's help by making special Holiday offers, and the wise woman takes full advantage. For instance, here is—

MOST APPROPRIATE WEAR
FOR THOSE WHO GO TO THE BEACHES.

COSTUMES FOR THE HOLIDAYS.

SMART COTTON AND LINEN SUITS.
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Just because they are ever so slightly soiled we have chosen this opportune moment to reduce the price. The reductions are considerable indeed—for costumes of such smart cut and high-grade materials. They are the very thing for Beach or for Mountains.

ALL ONE PRICE, 19/11.

WHITE PIQUE COAT AND SKIRT SUITS, with Saxe Blue Spots, smart holiday garment, has contrasting self collar, cuffs, and buttons, sports belt and pendant ends.
Season's Price 29/6
REDUCED THIS WEEK TO 19/11

ALL-WHITE PIQUE COAT AND SKIRT SUITS, ideal Summer Suits, in good quality White Pique, not soiled, but slightly crushed; have sailor collars and revers, sports pockets and belt.
Season's Price 25/11
SPECIAL PRICE 19/11

ALL ONE PRICE, 27/6

WHITE PIQUE SUITS, in semi-Norfolk style, with straps, belt, and buttons and tab ornaments.
Season's Price 35/6
REDUCED THIS WEEK TO 27/6

WHITE AND COLOURED COTTON GABARDINE COAT AND SKIRT SUITS, unlined; only Saxe Blue, Navy, and White left; in two styles only; a few left with all-round and semi belts, step collar and revers, two sports pockets.
Season's Price 35/6
THIS WEEK'S PRICE 27/6

ALL ONE PRICE, 39/6.

NATURAL DRILL SUITS, with White line pencil stripes, very smart cut. A wonderful line; only three left. Have well-cut step collar and revers, simulated inlet pockets and waist belt.
Season's Price .... 49/6.
REDUCED TO-DAY TO .... 39/6.

A MAGNIFICENT LINE TAILOR-CUT LINEN COAT AND SKIRT SUITS, Navy and Grey only; have White collars, White trimmed cuffs, deep hem at foot of coat basque, sports belt forming pockets.
Season's Price .... 49/6.
REDUCED TO .... 39/6.

Costume Salon, Second Floor, Pitt-street.

PANAMAS—THE IDEAL BEACH HATS.

They are so shady, and will not spoil readily with wear or weather. They are easily cleaned. We are showing some excellent Holiday lines in trimmed and untrimmed panamas, and list three examples here:—

SPLENDID VALUE IN LADIES' BLEACHED PANAMA HATS, good serviceable style, with medium brim, trimmed band and bow of black ribbon.
SPLENDID VALUE .... 8/11.

SMART PANAMA READY-TO-WEAR HAT, with shady brim; the latest crown, with indented or grooved top, well trimmed with ribbon band and fancy ends, in any colour.
STERLING VALUE .... 16/6.

HIGH-GRADE BLEACHED PANAMA HAT, with the new "Scout" crown, brim slightly lifted at back, trimmed band and bow of Saxe Blue ribbon, and Floral Cretonne finish. PRICE .... 18/6.

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BEACH CANES have stick and bag combined, and for beach, and particularly mountain, use, where everyone carries a cane, their utility requires none of our emphasising. These are obtainable only at Farmer's. As an inexpensive gift, and one that will be appreciated, we confidently recommend these Canes. PRICES: 4/6, 5/6, 6/6, 7/6, 8/6, 10/6.

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FOR YOUNG AND OLD.

Everything to make sea bathing and surfing more enjoyable—absolutely the right apparel for young and old:—

LADIES' ALL-WOOL, ONE-PIECE BATHING COSTUMES, Navy, with Royal, Scarlet, and Cream bands.

Sizes	S.W.	W.	O.S.
PRICES	7/11	8/6	8/11

LADIES' CANADIAN BATHING COSTUMES, in Grey or Brown, with assorted coloured bands.

Sizes	W.	O.S.	X.O.S.
PRICES	9/11	11/6	12/6

LADIES' RUSSIAN BATHING COSTUMES, all-wool, in a variety of shades, V. Rose, Nattier, Grey, Brown, Navy, and Black.

Sizes	W. and O.S.	
PRICES	14/11	16/6

Black, with assorted bands, size X.O.S.,
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LADIES' BATHING HATS, V. Rose, Light Blue, Grey, and Brown. PRICE 2/11

LADIES' BATHING CAPS, Light Blue, V. Rose, Brown, with frill. PRICE 2/11
Other qualities, ... 3/3, 3/11, 3/6.

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GIRLS' SURFING REQUISITES.

SURFING OR BATH GOWN, in striped Towelling, made very strong for rough wear on the beaches. The material is in striped design of various colours on White grounds, with Crepe facings and White cord girdle.

Lengths	44	48	52 in
PRICES	7/11	8/11	9/11.

FOR SMALLER CHILDREN AND ALSO MISSES, a good quality Jap. Crepe Gown, in various shades of Rose, Pale Blue, Nattier, and Navy. Collar, front, and cuffs are scalloped and embroidered in White.

Lengths ..	24	28	32	36	40	44 in.
PRICES ..	2/9	3/3	3/6	3/11	4/6	4/9
Lengths					48	52 in.
PRICES					5/6	6/11

ALL-WOOL ONE-PIECE KNITTED BATHING COSTUMES, in Navy, trimmed Saxe, and Saxe trimmed White on neck, sleeves and legs.

Sizes	1	2	3	4	5	6
PRICES ..	7/11	8/6	8/11	9/6	9/11	10/6

Same shapes in Two-piece CANADIAN ALL-WOOL.

Sizes	4	5	6
PRICES	9/11	10/6	11/6

GIRLS' BATHING COSTUMES, in all-wool stockinette, made in one-piece style, with high neck and buttoning in front. Colours: Navy finished with Red, Saxe, and White.

Sizes, lengths	26	28	30
PRICES	6/11	7/6	7/11

GOOD VALUE COTTON STOCKINETTE COSTUME, in Navy, fastening on shoulder, "V" neck and short sleeves, finished in Red, Saxe, and White.

Sizes. Length (inches)	22	24	26	28	30
PRICES	2/	2/3	2/6	2/9	2/11

BATHING SHOES, fibre soles, White Canvas tops, all sizes for children.
PRICE 8/11

BATHING CAPS, in Rubber. Colours: Brown, Saxe, V. Rose, and Grey. PRICE 1/

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FOR THOSE WHO GO MOTORING.

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MOTORING HATS

FOR THE HOLIDAY SEASON.

PARTICULARLY SMART MOTOR HAT, the colouring being Drake's Neck Green; a perfect-fitting Hat in fancy straw, droop brim; edged velvet. A trail of hand-made fruit and flowers in artistic colours forms the trimming, a full Ninon Veil to tone.
EXCELLENT VALUE .... 37/6.

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IN SUMMER SPORTS.

HOLIDAY SPORTS COATS.

EXCEEDINGLY SMART SPORTS COAT, in White Cotton Gabardine, trimmed collar, revers, and cuffs in contrasting shades of material.
SPECIAL PRICE .... 15/6.

MOST SERVICEABLE SPORTS COAT, in Tussore Silk, step collar, turnback cuffs, finished with buttons.
PRICE .... 22/6.

MOST SERVICEABLE SPORTS COAT, in Cotton Check Material, collar, pockets, cuffs, and belt of White Pique. Newest style, finished with dainty check buttons. To be had in Black and White, and Navy and White.
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FANCY BOX, containing Two Cluny Lace D'Oyleys, an ideal Xmas present. PRICE .... 2/6.
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ART SILK MOTOR SCARVES, popular and effective stripes, in any conceivable shade, making a very acceptable Xmas Gift. PRICE .... 10/6.
REAL IRISH CROCHET RABATS. PRICE, 10/6
WHITE EMBROIDERED ORGANDI MUSLIN FRONTS. PRICE .... 10/6.
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GENUINE AMBER CIGAR HOLDERS, in case. PRICE 10/6
COVERED TOBACCO POUCHES, lined with best rubber, Antelope. PRICE .... 10/6.
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MEETINGS.

THE AUSTRALIAN BANK OF COMMERCE, LTD

NOTICE is hereby given that the SIXTEENTH HALF-YEARLY GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the Head Office of the Australian Bank of Commerce, Limited, at the corner of King and George streets, Sydney, on TUESDAY, 29th January, 1918, at noon, for the following purposes:—
To receive and consider the Profit and Loss Account and the Balance-sheet as at December 31, 1917, and the Reports of the Directors and of the Auditors.
To consider and decide on such other matters and things as may then be brought forward by the Directors relating to the affairs of the Company, and to transact any other business which, under the Articles of Association of the Company, ought to be transacted at an Ordinary Meeting.
By order of the Board.

C. M. C. SHANNON,
General Manager.

Head Office,
Corner George and King streets, Sydney,
December 14, 1917.

PUBLIC MEETING.

In response to a Requisition signed by a number of Citizens, I hereby convene a PUBLIC MEETING to be held in the Town Hall THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON, at 3.30 o'clock, for the purpose of considering what steps should be taken to recognise the many years of service in the cause of Music and Charity of Gustave W. G. Bentley, A.R.C.M., Bandmaster of the State Military Band.

R. D. MEAGHER,
Lord Mayor.

Town Hall, Sydney.

AUSTRALIAN GAS-LIGHT COMPANY.

ADJOURNED ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that the Adjourned Annual General Meeting of the Company will be held at the Royal Exchange, Bridge-street, Sydney, THIS DAY, TUESDAY, the 18th day of December, at 4.15 p.m., to consider the recommendations of the Directors for the payment of a Half-yearly dividend of 5½ per cent.
The Transfer Books will be closed until after the Meeting.

By Order of the Board,
R. J. LUKEY,
Secretary.

Company's Head Office,
Haymarket, Sydney.
6th December, 1917.

INSTITUTION OF SURVEYORS, N.S.W.
Members are reminded a General Meeting will be held THIS EVENING, Royal Society's Hall, 5 p.m. "The Transit Problems of Greater Sydney," by J. J. J. Bradfield, M.E., M. Inst., C.E., illustrated lantern lecture. WILLIAM CHAPMAN, Hon. Secy.

HAIRDRESSERS AND TOBACCONISTS.

MONSTER MEETING.
To be held at
Vickery's, 52 Pitt-street, on
WEDNESDAY, DEC. 19, AT 7.30 P.M.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the 20th CENTURY CHRISTMAS FUND will take place THIS DAY, at the Depot, 83 Pitt-street, at 8 p.m.

NEW SOUTH WALES UNION MEETING TONIGHT at Shop Employees 68 on 67 Trades Hall, 4 p.m. Business: Receive report of Wages Board members re Work. Conditions. T. Orr, pres.; F. Pollard, sec.

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JACK AND THE BEANSTALK CAN ONLY BE SHOWN IN SYDNEY UP TO AND INCLUDING FRIDAY NEXT, AND WILL NOT BE SCREENED AFTER THAT DATE FOR SOME CONSIDERABLE TIME.
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Starting 11.5, 12.45, 2.25, 4.5, 5.45, 7.25, 9.5
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VALESKA SURATT in "THE SLAVE."
MADGE EVANS in "ADVENTURES OF CAROL."
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TO-NIGHT'S MEETINGS.
TOWN HALL, SYDNEY, 8 O'CLOCK.
REINFORCEMENTS CAMPAIGN RALLY.
RT. HON. W. M. HUGHES, P.C., M.P.,
Prime Minister of Australia.
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GIRLS' MONSTER MEETING, KING'S HALL, UPPER HUNTER STREET, 8 o'clock. SENATOR HON. JOSIAH THOMAS, MISS GLADYS OWEN, MISS RUBY BOARD, MR. ELLIOTT (late 13th Battery), PATRIOTIC SONGS by MR. DONALD SMITH, SKIPPER FRANCIS, AND OTHERS.

KOGARAH (Hurstville).—A Special Committee Meeting, to arrange final details for Polling Day, KOGARAH SCHOOL OF ARTS, 8 o'clock.

KOGARAH (St. George).—A General Committee Meeting, SCHOOL OF ARTS, KOGARAH, 8 o'clock. BUSINESS: To make final arrangements for Polling Day.

EASTWOOD, 8 o'clock.—ALD. SYDNEY SMITH, Jun., CAPT. W. H. HUDSON.

LEICHHARDT, opp. KEGWORTH SCHOOL, 8 o'clock.—E. M. PERRIN, ALBERT LANE.

RANDWICK, cor. EVANS-STREET and GOVETT-STREET, 8 o'clock.—HON. DAVID STOREY, M.L.A., Acting Minister for Health, and other prominent speakers.

WAVERLEY, cor. EBLEY and COWPER STREETS, 8 o'clock, 8.15 o'clock.—RETURNED SOLDIERS. The LONE PINE BAND will Play from 7.15.

MARRICKVILLE WEST, cor. WARREN ROAD and ILLAWARRA ROAD, 8 o'clock. MR. DAVISON, REV. A. E. WEST, F. WINSTON.

DULWICH HILL, WARDELL-ROAD, RAILWAY BRIDGE, 8 o'clock.—C. C. WILSON, THOS. HOSKINS, M.L.A., J. ROUGHLEY.

MARRICKVILLE, cor. EDINBURGH ROAD and FITZROY-STREET, 8 o'clock.—T. HOSKINS, M.L.A., L. L. EARL, C. C. WILSON, ED. DAVIES (Chairman).

TEMPE, at STATION, 8 o'clock.—A. E. WEIR, C. T. SOUTHWICK, MR. BRITTAIN.

BEXLEY, TRAM TERMINUS, 8 o'clock.—J. MARION, ALD. BARTON, J. ISON.

ARNCLIFFE, BAKER'S HALL, 8 o'clock.—Speaker, Federal House, J. MARION, H. M. GARDNER.

HABERFIELD, cor. DALHOUSIE-STREET and RAMSAY-STREET, 8 o'clock. HON. D. R. HALL, M.L.A., Attorney-General; LIEUT. LITCHFIELD, E. M. PERRIN, T. L. CAMPBELL (Chairman).

HABERFIELD, HAWTHORNE PARADE (between Marion-street and Parramatta-road), 8 o'clock.—MESSRS. R. LANE, E. M. PERRIN, EDWARDS, NEW, J. Z. PADMAN (Chairman).

ROZELLE, FINAL RALLY, ST. PAUL'S SCHOOL-ROOM, WESTON-ROAD, 8 o'clock.—HON. J. J. COHEN, M.L.A., Speaker N.S.W. Legislative Assembly; R. J. CROGAN, MRS. NORMAN SHELLEY.

BURWOOD, IRELAND'S CORNER, BURWOOD-ROAD, 8 o'clock.—J. E. TOOLE, PRIVATE MUNCASTER, F. WILLIAMS (Chairman).

CANLEY VALE, ST. JOHN'S PARK, SCHOOL OF ARTS, 8 o'clock.—T. J. KOHAN, J.P.

CANTERBURY, 8 o'clock. RETURNED SOLDIERS.

HURLSTONE PARK, 8 o'clock.—J. G. LOCKLEY, ROBT. HARRIS, G. S. CHURCH (Chairman).

CAMPSIE, 8 o'clock.—RETURNED SOLDIERS, R. F. BAXTER (Chairman).

BELMORE, 8 o'clock.—RETURNED SOLDIERS, A. FASSON (Chairman).

DURAL (Blacksmith's Shop), 8 o'clock.—T. J. CLARKE, SAM GREER, RETURNED SOLDIERS, and R. M. PONTEY.

HURSTVILLE, QUEEN'S THEATRE, GREAT YES RALLY, 8 o'clock.—Senator Hon. JOSIAH THOMAS, HECTOR LAMOND, M.H.R., Rev. C. E. JAMES, WALTER BENTLEY, PATRIOTIC SONGS from 7.15, Ald. LOW (Chairman).

ROCKDALE, TOWN HALL, 8 o'clock.—Senator MILLEN, Chaplain Captain WILSON, WALTER BENTLEY, Ald. GREEN (Chairman).

PARRAMATTA NORTH, POST-OFFICE, 8 o'clock.—G. B. HOLT, W. H. PAINE, F. HODDINOTT (Chairman).

WESTMEAD, BRIDGE, 8 o'clock.—J. S. WITHINGTON, F. THOMAS, Corporal PITT, W. M. BUCHANAN, C. ALDISS (Chairman).

WENTWORTHVILLE, near Railway, 8 o'clock.—Cr. PAGE, J. S. WITHINGTON, Corporal PITT, Capt. DRAKE (Chairman).

DUNDAS, 8 o'clock.—JOHN WAUGH, L. BLUMER, L. T. MILLS, S. KNIGHT (Chairman).

HARRIS PARK, 8 o'clock.—Ald. R. W. JACKAMAN, Sergt. COSTIN, A. CHAMPION (Chairman).

LIDCOMBE, TOWN HALL, 8 o'clock. T. R. BAVIN, M.L.A., Mrs. CONNELL, Ald. BROWN, Mayor (Chairman).

AUBURN, near TOWN HALL, 8 o'clock.—J. H. KING, G. M. DORAN, Ald. RICHARDS J.P., Ald. CHEETHAM, Mayor (Chairman).

AUBURN.—Committee Meeting, at Town Hall, 7 o'clock.

GRANVILLE, SOUTH-STREET, 8 o'clock.—Private J. DAVIS, Ald. RICHARD J. TOWNSEND (Chairman).

GRANVILLE.—COMMITTEE MEETING, GOOD-STREET 7 o'clock. IMPORTANT BUSINESS.

SURRY HILLS, BANK CORNER, FLINDERS and BOURKE STREETS, 8 o'clock. W. S. FATHER, H. J. FOREMAN, J. C. CRAIG (Chairman).

PETERSHAM, PALACE STREET and BRIGHT-STREET, 8 o'clock.—W. BEWICKE, J. COHEN, Ald. DAWSON, Ald. GENDLE, J. P. WEBSTER.

GORE HILL, TOWN HALL, 8 o'clock. Hon. DAVID STOREY, M.L.A., E. J. LOXTON, K.C., J. A. FERGUSON.

MOSMAN, TOWN HALL, 8 o'clock.—Hon. JOHN GARLAND, M.L.C., Minister for Justice; Mrs. R. R. MACKINNON, Hon. SYDNEY SMITH, G. D. BROWN (27th Battn.).

NEUTRAL BAY, 8 o'clock.—Hon. JOHN GARLAND, M.L.C., Minister for Justice; E. J. LOXTON, K.C., Hon. SYDNEY SMITH, E. D. BROWN (27th Battn.)

NORTH SYDNEY, CENTRAL HALL, WALKER-ST, 8 o'clock.—Rt. Hon. JOSEPH COOK, P.C., M.P., Minister for the Navy, Miss GLADYS OWEN, OWEN GILBERT, ex-M.L.A.

NORTH SYDNEY.—COMMITTEE meets 7.30 o'clock sharp, SCHOOL OF ARTS.

CROW'S NEST, PROTESTANT HALL, 8 o'clock.—RT. HON. JOSEPH COOK, P.C., M.P., Miss GLADYS OWEN, OWEN GILBERT, ex-M.L.A.

NAREMBURN, corner SLADE-STREET and WILLOUGHBY-ROAD, 8 o'clock.—R. W. D. WEAVER, M.L.A., CHAS. WARDEN, BARTON ADDISON.

MANLY, THE CORSO, 8 o'clock.—SIR THOS. HUGHES, A. G. RALSTON, K.C.

BOTANY TOWN HALL, 3 o'clock: WOMEN'S MEETING: Mrs. CONNELL, Mrs. NORMAN SHELLEY, Mrs. MULVEY, Mrs. W. D. STEPHENS, Mayoress, will preside.

BOTANY, corner BOTANY-ROAD and BANKSIA-ST, 8 o'clock: RETURNED SOLDIERS.

WOOLLAHRA, MORTIMER'S HOTEL, DOUBLE BAY, 8 o'clock.—Pte. LES DAVIES, T. RIDLEY (chairman).

WOOLLAHRA, OCEAN-STREET and FORTH-STREET, 8 o'clock: S. MAUDESLEY, Ald. W. F. LATIMER, M.L.A., A. J. MARSHALL (chairman).

WOOLLAHRA, RUSH-STREET and JERSEY-ROAD, 8 o'clock: VICTOR COHEN, W. G. DAVIES, G. P. JONES (chairman).

WOOLLAHRA, CASCADE and WINDSOR STREETS, 8 o'clock: DAVID SULLIVAN, W. STOKES, A. H. E. PRIMROSE (chairman).

SUMMER HILL, LACKEY-STREET, 8 o'clock.—HON. BRUCE SMITH, K.C., M.P., Mr. TOMLIN.

ANNANDALE, LAPPAN'S HALL, JOHNSTON-STREET, 8 o'clock.—MONSTER MEETING: Hon. J. C. WATSON (ex-Prime Minister), Hon. J. J. COHEN, M.L.A. (Speaker N.S.W. Legislative Assembly), Ald. J. W. SERVICE (chairman), W. L. DUNCAN.

GLEBE TOWN HALL, 8 o'clock.—Hon. SIR WM. McMILLAN, K.C.M.G., Ald. W. A. WINDEYER, Ald. R. W. STONE, Mayor (chairman).

GLEBE TOWN HALL.—Committee Meeting at the conclusion of the above public meeting. BUSINESS: To arrange final details for Polling Day.

STRATHFIELD, MELBA PICTURE PALACE, 8 o'clock.—Hon. J. C. WATSON, ex-Prime Minister; BRIGADIER-GENERAL JOBSON, E. H. BUDDEN, War Chest Commissioner.

CONCORD, PARRAMATTA-ROAD and CONCORD-RD, 8 o'clock. Ald. S. DAVISON, P. GRAZIER, J. E. BISHOP, T. A. ASHTON, J. M. SOLOMON, J. McLEAN.

DRUMMOYNE, MASONIC HALL, 8 o'clock: Sgt. LISTER, M.P., W. FLYNN (Wentworth).

ENMORE, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, 8 o'clock, F.S. DISPENSARY, ENMORE-ROAD. All members invited to attend. J. R. WEIR, Hon. Sec.

ASHFIELD, PICTURE PALACE, 8 o'clock.—Hon. D. R. HALL, M.L.A., Attorney-General, F. B. S. FALKINER, M.P.

MARRICKVILLE.—Committee Rooms: 8 o'clock. Meeting of Full Committee to make final arrangements for Thursday.

ABBOTSFORD.—Stratton's Corner, 8 o'clock: RETURNED SOLDIERS (Mr. CROKER (Chairman).

PENRITH.—8 o'clock: Miss PRESTON STANLEY.

NORTH RYDE.—Opp. School of Arts: 8 o'clock, PRIVATE BROCK, F. W. GREGORY, T. TYTHERLEIGH. Speakers meet at Ryde Terminus at 7.30.

BALMAIN.—Rowntree and Darling streets: 8 o'clock, H. R. McWILLIAM, V. P. STANLEY.

DARLINGHURST and KING ELECTORATES.—Organising Committees meet Darlinghurst Liberal Club, 8 o'clock.

WEATHERILL PARK.—School of Arts: 8 o'clock: T. H. PARKER, ARNOLD READ. Speakers catch 6.25 train from Sydney.

CAMPBELLTOWN.—8 o'clock: R. SLEATH, ex-M.L.A.

ROOTY HILL.—14. GEO. MITCHELL.

RIVERSTONE.—8 o'clock: GIDEON C. GILLESPIE.

BONDI.—Six Ways, corner Hall and O'Brien streets: 8 o'clock, C. HARRINGTON, JOHN HUGHES, W. A. OAKLEY (Chairman).

WOY WOY.—HUBERT JESSOP.

NARARA.—8 o'clock: ALD. R. W. JACKAMAN.

PORT KEMBLA.—8 o'clock: F. K. MACLEAN, ex-M.P.

BALGOWNIE.—8 o'clock: SIDNEY BRACK.

WOLLONGONG.—8 p.m.: R. B. ORCHARD, M.P.

MIDDAY MEETINGS.

MARTIN PLACE.—Moore-street, 1.15: Hon. W. A. HOLMAN, M.L.A., Premier of N.S.W.; Hon. D. R. HALL, Attorney-General; TOM SKEYHILL (THE BLIND SIGNALLER), Mrs. NORMAN SHELLEY, and others.

Messrs. CHAS. ANDERSON and CO., LTD.—1.15 o'clock: GUNNER CLASBY will address the employees at the works, corner of Albion and Nichols streets, Surry Hills.

WIRELESS STATION, Avoca-street.—12.15 o'clock: A. G. ALLANSON.

RETURNED SAILORS AND SOLDIERS' UNIVERSAL SERVICE COMMITTEE.
TUESDAY, DECEMBER 18th.

EDDY-AVENUE, CENTRAL RAILWAY STATION, 10.30 A.M.—Welcome to Mr. W. M. HUGHES, Prime Minister. All returned sailors and soldiers assemble at 10.30.

MARTIN-PLACE, 11 A.M.—J. LYSTER, M.H.R., F. KILLEEN (Lieut. 19th Battn.), J. THOMSON (Lieut. 2nd Battn.), U. K. RICHARDS (Camel Corps).

MARTIN-PLACE, 1 P.M.—LIEUT. C. E. KING, M.C. (Artillery), U. K. RICHARDS (Camel Corps), CAPT. HEGGARTON (M.O. Mining Corps), L. H. HILDER (17th Battn.).

MARTIN-PLACE, 8 P.M.—J. FLETCHER (Lieut. 19th Battn), W. R. HUBBARD (2nd Battn.), A. L. BECKETTS (Corpl. 18th Battn).

LEICHHARDT, FLOOD and ALLEN STS.—LIEUT. J. FITZPATRICK (1st Battn), G. GRANTHAM, D.C.M. (Corpl. 18th Battn), A. GARLING (19th Battn.), W. GALDING (Sergt. 31st Battn.), J. C. LAWSON (2nd Battn.).

BALMAIN, ROWNTREE-ST, 8 P.M.—LIEUT. E. C. KING, M.C. (Artillery), F. KILLEEN (Lieut. 19th Battn.), SERGT. F. SAUNDERS, D.C.M. (53rd Battn.), T. WILSON (1st F. Amb.).

ROZELLE, nr. NATIONAL-ST, 8 P.M.—L. ELLIOTT (13th Batty), O.I., LIEUT. D. T. CAMPBELL, M.C. (2nd Battn.), SERGT. F. SAUNDERS, D.C.M. (53rd Battn.), J. WRIGHT (A.I.F.).

ABBOTSFORD, near Store, 8 P.M.—CAPT. W. S. BROWN, K. LITCHFIELD (Lieut. 3rd Battn.), C. M'DEVITT (Engrs.), R. HUDSON (Sergt. 1st Battn.).

BONDI JUNCTION, 8 P.M.—LIEUT. MASON (30th Battn.), T. A. MACKENZIE (53rd Battn.), L. H. HILDER (17th Battn.), H. J. WIBURD (1st Battn.).

HABERFIELD, DALHOUSIE-ST., 8 P.M.—L. HENDERSON (Lieut. 20th Battn.), A. GARLING (19th Battn.).

LAWSON, 8 P.M.—C. H. BANKS (2nd Battn.), CAPT. ALLEN, M.C. (20th Battn.), CAPT. GUNTER, M.C. (30th Battn.), D. ALLAN.

NORTH SYDNEY, cr. ALFRED and CAMPBELL STS, 8 P.M.—L. H. IRVINE (Lieut. 19th Battn.), U. K. RICHARDS (Camel Corps), W. HAMILTON (Artillery), T. WILSON (1st F. Amb.).

BOTANY, cr. BANKSIA-ST. and BOTANY-RD., 8 P.M.—C. LASERON (13th Battn.), G. J. COLE (17th Battn.), C. MAURER (A.I.F.).

ENMORE TRAM TERMINUS, 8 P.M.—R. L. PENMAN (4th Battn.), J. POMERY (1st Battn.), A. HUMPHRIES (3rd Battn.), W. D. OLIVER (1st L.H.).

WESTMEAD, nr. RAILWAY BRIDGE, 8 P.M.—H. J. ADDIS (1st Div.), T. G. HARRISON (Artillery).

LUDDENHAM, TEMPERANCE HALL, 8 P.M.—A. E. HUNT (Engrs.), R. G. M'ANDERSON (3rd Battn.).

GOSFORD, 8 P.M.—CAPT. M'ILROY, M.M.M.C. (2nd Battn.), LIEUT. A. O. M'PHILLAMY (Flying Corps), E. D. BROWN (27th Battn.).

STANMORE, cr. PERCIVAL-RD. and SALISBURY-ST., 8 P.M.—A. E. WOODS (23rd Battn.), C. E. LOWER (1st Battn.), H. B. KENT (Sergt. 1st A.M.C.), B. BROCK (M.G.).

MANLY, BANDSTAND, SOUTH STEYNE, 3.15 P.M.—J. FITZPATRICK (Lieut. 1st Battn.), J. THOMSON (Lieut. 2nd Battn.), L. ELLIOTT (13th Battn.).

CANTERBURY, Railway Bridge, 8 p.m.—J. J. CASEY ([illegible] Batt.), W. WILLIAMS ([illegible] Batt.), L. BOSGARD (2nd Batt.), W. GOEHM (Cpl., 20th Batt.), P. J. QUINAKE (7th L.H.).

CAMPSIE, Anzac-square, 8 p.m.—S. PERRY (Lieut., 54th Batt.), R. PERRY (Pte., 4th Batt.), G. PERRY (Pte., 54th Batt.), T. DILLON (Cpl., 4th Batt.), R. CEBELL (Artillery).

BELMORE, cr. Leyland Parade and Burwood-road, 8 p.m.—W. MORRIS (1st Batt.), V. A. MEEKS (6th L.H.), L. P. DESSAULT (9th L.H.), S. T. MURPHY (Sergt.-major, 1st Batt.), W. FITZGERALD (13th Batt.).

KOGARAH, Ramsgate-road, 8 p.m.—Major INGLIS, T. S. BETHEL (2nd Batt.), F. BRIGHTEN (5th F. Amb.), D. MACKINNON (1st Batt.).

DRUITT-STREET, 7.30 p.m.—Returned Soldiers.

LITHGOW, 8 p.m.—Capt. Chaplain J. KEITH MILLER.

FACTORY MEETINGS.

HENDERSON and STEDMAN, Haymarket, 1 p.m.—H. J. ADDIS (1st Div.), T. A. MACKENZIE (53rd Batt.).

S. T. LEIGH and CO., Goulburn and Castlereagh streets, 1 p.m.—L. ELLIOTT (13th Battery), T. A. MACKENZIE (53rd Batt.).

LANGDON and LANGDON, Annandale, 12.15 p.m.—Miss GLADYS OWNEN, U. K. RICHARDS.

COUNTRY MEETINGS.
HON. W. A. HOLMAN,
Premier of New South Wales.
NEWCASTLE ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th.
ORANGE ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th.
SENATOR THE HON. E. D. MILLEN,
Minister for Repatriation.
YOUNG ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th.
HON. WM. WEBSTER, M.H.R.,
Postmaster-General.
WARWICK ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th.
STANTHORPE ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th.
CAPTAIN MILLARD, M.L.A.
NAROOMA ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th.
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J. M. CHANTER, M.H.R.
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TOCUMWAL ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th.
G. S. BRINER, M.L.A.
CANOWINDRA ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th.
COWRA ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th.
PROF. THE HON. J. B. PEDEN, M.L.C.,
JOHN O'NEILL.
NOWRA ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th.
ARTHUR GRIMM, M.L.A.
PEAK HILL ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th.
J. THOMSON, M.H.R.
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KENDALL ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th.
CORPORAL McNAMARA.
W. JACKSON, V.C., D.C.M.
INVERELL ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th.
ARMIDALE ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th.
HON. C. W. OAKES, M.L.A.
W. A. ZUILL, M.L.A.
COFF'S HARBOUR ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th.
HON. R. T. BALL, M.L.A.
BOREE CREEK ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th.
LOCKHART ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th.
WAGGA ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th.
LIEUTENANT MOORE.
ELTHAM ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th.
LISMORE ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th.
MISS GRACE SCOBIE.
LISMORE ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th.
CORAKI ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th.
SERGEANT BROWNE, 2nd BATTALION.
UKI ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th.
MURWILLUMBAH ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th.
J. T. CRANE, M.L.A.
GRAVESEND ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th.
TERRY-HIE-HIE ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th.
SERGEANT BUCKLETON and
SERGEANT SALISBURY, M.M.
WYALONG ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th.
WEST WYALONG ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th.
SERGEANT-MAJOR DONALD AND
PRIVATE STUART, M.M.
REID'S FLAT ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th.
RUGBY ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th.
RYE PARK ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th.
BURROWA ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th.
A. D. DONNELLY.
GUNDAGAI ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th.
SERGEANT A. K. THOMPSON.
NARROMINE ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th.
DUBBO ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th.
J. A. THOMPSON,
PRESIDENT N.S.W. CONSCRIPTION COMMITTEE.
TARALGA ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th.
WINGELLO ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th.
R. A. PRICE, M.L.A., and HON. J. B. NASH, M.L.C.
GLOUCESTER ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th
BARRINGTON ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th
CAPTAIN WADE.
NIMMITABEL ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th
BOMBALA ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th
REV. H. L. F. PALMER.
MULGOA ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th
ERSKINE PARK ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th
F. E. A. GORDON.
BOLIVIA ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th
DEEPWATER ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th
DR. ARTHUR, M.L.A.
LAWSON ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th
J. S. HAWTHORNE, EX-M.L.A.
MOLONG ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th
MANILDRA ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th
A. D. LIONEL COURTENAY.
MURRURUNDI ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th
SCONE ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th
HON. W. T. DICK, M.L.C.
KIAMA ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th
MOSS VALE ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th
HON. E. E. FARRAR, M.L.C.
COOTAMUNDRA ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th
TEMORA ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th
DAVID MAUGHAN.
BLAYNEY ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th
MILLTHORPE ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th
THOMAS ST. LEDGER.
OBERON ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th
GLANMIRE ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th
R. J. DOE, M.L.A.
WANGANELLA ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th.
DENILIQUIN ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th.
SERGEANT CROSS, D.C.M.
THUDDUNGRA ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th.
GRENFELL ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th.
P. SHORTLAND.
MUNDOORAN ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th.
COONABARABRAN ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th.
GEORGE BLACK, M.L.C.
Ex-Chief Secretary.
MANILLA ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th.
TAMWORTH ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th.
GERALD RYAN.
YARRAMALONG ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th.
WYONG ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th.
PRIVATE ATKINSON.
BELAR CREEK ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th.
COONABARABRAN ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th.
W. MASSY GREENE, M.P.
TAMWORTH ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th.
GLEN INNES ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th.
LIEUTENANT RICKWOOD.
GILGANDRA ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th.
GILGANDRA ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th.
SERGEANT A. D. KAY.
CULCAIRN ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th.
HOLBROOK ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th.
HON. S. R. INNES NOAD, M.L.C.
BINGARA ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th.
BINGARA ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th.
T. F. H. McKENZIE, ESQ.
WALGETT ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th.
BOGGABRI ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th.
J. J. MORRISH, Ex-M.L.A.
GRENFELL ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th.
FORBES ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th.
SERGEANT MARTIN.
PITT TOWN ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th.
CATTAI ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th.
ST. ALBANS ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th.
WISEMAN'S FERRY ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th.
R. WINDEYER, K.C.
COONABARABRAN ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th.
GUNNEDAH ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th.
HON. W. H. WOOD.
GULGONG ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th.
RYLSTONE ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th.
J. G. CARROLL.
EUABALONG ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th.
A. G. MANNING, M.L.A.
BELLATA ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th.
NARRABRI ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th.
H. H. SMALL.
KINGSTON ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th.
HILLGROVE ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th.
W. H. CLUTTON.
GLENREAGH ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th.
GRAFTON ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th.
WALTER FINCH.
BUDGERIBONG ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th.
FORBES ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th.
PRIVATE SEYMOUR, late 53rd BATTALION.
WARIALDA ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th.
WARIALDA ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th.
W. J. FERGUSON, Ex-M.L.A.
COOLAMON ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th.
NARRANDERA ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th.
S. W. THORNTON, Esq.
CROOKWELL ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th.
GOULBURN ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th.
PRIVATE H. LEVY.
HERMITAGE ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th.
LITHGOW ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th.
LT. MOLESWORTH.
MARYVALE ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th.
WELLINGTON ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th.
WARRANT-OFFICER GILLIES.
EAST MAITLAND ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th.
DUNGOG ... Wednesday, Dec. 19.
HON. SIR ALBERT GOULD.
MOSS VALE ... Tuesday, Dec. 18th.
BOWRAL ... Wednesday, Dec. 19.
MITTAGONG ... Wednesday, Dec. 19.
ALD. R. W. JACKAMAN, J.P.
SEVEN HILLS ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th.
COLONEL HOLDORF.
HENTY ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th.
YERONG CREEK ... Wednesday, Dec. 19th.

REINFORCEMENTS REFERENDUM COMMITTEE ROOMS:—
BONDI JUNCTION, Coronation-building (upstairs).
BALMAIN, 477 Darling-street.
CHATSWOOD, Archer-street and Victoria-avenue.
NORTH SYDNEY HEADQUARTERS: Central Hall, Walker-street. Tel., North 1981; Private, Y2067.
MOSMAN: 3 Myagah-road. 'Phone, Y1067.
NEUTRAL BAY: 117 Military-road. 'Phone, North 426.
CROW'S NEST: Arcade.
DULWICH HILL: Marrickville-road, opp. Fairfowl-street.
MARRICKVILLE: Opp. St. Clement's Church.
NEWTOWN: F.S. Dispensary, Enmore-road.
PADDINGTON: 350 Oxford-street.
LIVERPOOL: High-street, opp. Wearne's.
DRUMMOYNE: P.O.-square.
PARRAMATTA: Institute, George-street.
REDFERN: 79 Pitt-street.
WOOLLAHRA: 83 Queen-street.
PETERSHAM: No. 5 Room, Town Hall.
DARLINGHURST: King's Cross.
ANNANDALE: Lappan's Hall, Johnston-street.
GLEBE: 27 Glebe-road.
GRANVILLE: Good-street, near station.
LIDCOMBE: John-street, near station.
HABERFIELD: 114 Rogers-avenue.
HABERFIELD: 25 Stanton-road.
LEICHHARDT: 38 Wetherill-street, Cor. Balmain-road and Wetherill-street.
KOGARAH: School of Arts.
KOGARAH: Government Savings Bank.
ROSEVILLE: Roseville Hall (7.30 to 8.30).
CAMPSIE: Care R. F. Butler, Estate Agent, opp. station.
SUMMER HILL: Bradley's Rooms, cor. Smith and Morris streets.
ASHFIELD: Hercules-street.
KENSINGTON: School of Arts.
ROZELLE: 658 Darling-street.

SCRUTINEERS.—Supporters who will volunteer to act as Scrutineers on Polling Day, Thursday, December 20th, are requested to kindly notify the General Secretary.

Supporters who will give their services for Polling Day are kindly requested to call at the local Committee Rooms or Central Office, when work will be allotted to them, and literature supplied.

Subscriptions towards the Campaign Fund should be sent to Mr. Percy Hunter, Chief Organiser, Dalton House, Pitt-street.

Authorised by ARCHDALE PARKHILL,
General Secretary, Campaign Headquarters,
Perpetual Trustee-buildings,
33-39 Hunter-street, Sydney.

NO-CONSCRIPTION CAMPAIGN HEADQUARTERS.

REGULATION under War Precautions Act.

We are testing the validity of certain features of the above Act.

Cases now before the Court.

It would be a momentous achievement to succeed.

A fund is being established.

Friends are asked to subscribe at once.

Authorised by P. J. MINAHAN, Hon. Treasurer, Macdonell House, 321 Pitt-street, Sydney.

NO-CONSCRIPTION — CAMPAIGN.

MEETINGS TO-NIGHT.

THE HON. [illegible] RYAN (PREMIER OF QUEENSLAND) WILL SPEAK AT THE FOLLOWING PLACES TO-NIGHT:—

RANDWICK.—7.50 p.m. to 8.20 p.m.

BONDI JUNCTION.—8.30 p.m. to 9 p.m.

DARLINGHURST.—9.15 p.m. to 9.45 p.m.

NO-CONSCRIPTION DANCE
ST. CHARLES' HALL, CARRINGTON-RD, WAVERLEY, TO-NIGHT, at 8. Tickets, 1/.
GRAND SOCIAL AND DANCE,
SURRYVILLE ACADEMY, TO-MORROW (Wednesday), at 8. Tickets, 1/. Roll up and support the No-conscription cause.

SANS SOUCI.—Loop Junction, Tram Section: P. J. See and Returned Soldier.

BALMAIN.—Darling and [illegible] streets: E. G. Batchelor, W. Bathgate, J. Bailey.

CAMPSIE.—Picture Palace: W. Bridgement (chair), Luke Jones, P. J. Minahan, Pte. Scrimshaw (Returned Soldier), W. A. Gibb (Returned Soldier), W. H. Mackenzie.

DRUMMOYNE.—Post-office Square: W. Retallick, W. G. Mahony, M.H.R., 8 p.m., E. G. Batchelor.

BEXLEY.—Picture Show: J. H. Catts, M.H.R., A. C. Willis, A. S. Reardon.

NORTH SYDNEY, Manresa Hall: Rev. A. Rivett, D. Cainan, Hon. Hy. Willis, M.L.C., Mrs. Hungerford M'Mahon.

DARLING HARBOUR.—High-street and Argyle-street: G. Sutherland, J. Conway, Ald. W. O'Connor, Mrs. T. D. Geering.

WOOLLAHRA.—Mortimer's Hotel, Double Bay: G. C. Bodkin, F. Burden, D. Taylor.

WOOLLAHRA.—Tara-street and Trelawney-street: Mrs. E. M. Seery, 8 p.m., S. T. Green, D. Taylor.

WOOLLAHRA.—Sutherland-street and Cecil-street: Mrs. E. M. Seery, G. O. Dwyer, A. B. Molloy.

WOOLLAHRA.—Edgecliff P.O.: G. C. Bodkin, W. Lynch, H. Ostler.

MARRICKVILLE, Undercliffe Bridge: T. F. Harold, J. Jamieson, 8 p.m., J. Howie.

MARRICKVILLE, Silver-street and Marrickville-road: W. Sherar, J. Jamieson, J. B. Dooley.

WAHROONGA.—James O'Brien, J. Fingleton, ex-M.L.A., 8 p.m.

TURRAMURRA.—Near Post-office: F. W. Orchard, L. Green, J. O'Brien, 8 p.m.

FOREST LODGE.—Junction-street and St. John's-road: Miss A. Golding, S. Gibson, J. Forest.

PETERSHAM.—Yule and Charles street: C. Belton, Ald. J. Brady, F. M. Bourke, M.L.A.

PETERSHAM.—Newington road and Albert-street: A. C. Page, F. M. Bourke, M.L.A., L. H. Macquade.

ENMORE (Kingston).—St. Mary and Trade streets: T. Burke, J. Hennessy, J. J. Shiels, C. Clare.

PHILLIP.—Darlington-road and Ivy-street: Mrs. C. Mason, G. Sutherland, J. Conway, Ald. W. O'Connor.

SURRY HILLS.—Pottery Hotel, Riley and Lansdowne streets: W. L. Gibbs, G. Brennan, C. Fox, M. E. O'Grady, A. W. Buckley, M.L.A.

SOUTH SYDNEY.—Kensington, Daceyville, South Kensington, combined Meeting. Daceyville, near Kensington Hotel: A. E. Phillips (Chair), E. Riley, M.H.R., J. S. Garden, Ald. H. Miller, E. J. Bryan.

PENSHURST.—Ocean-street and Forest-road: W. Marsten, E. Mowbray.

MORTDALE.—Wattle-street and Boundary-road: H. Pollard, E. C. M'Grath.

OATLEY.—Station: W. C. Kensett, O. Doyle.

SOUTH ANNANDALE.—Rowley and Stafford streets (Stanmore): M. Watson, E. Walsh, H. Joyce, W. Webster.

LILYFIELD.—Ryan-street: J. Quirk, M.L.A., W. G. Mahony, M.H.R.

RANDWICK.—Allison-road and Belmore-road: Hon. T. J. Ryan (Premier, Queensland), G. M'Girr, M.L.A., Mrs. Melville.

DARLINGHURST.—T. Tanks, Ald. J. M'Gree, J. Woods, 8 p.m., Hon. T. J. Ryan, Premier of Queensland.

DARLINGHURST.—William and Bourke streets: Ald. L. J. O'Hara, Ald. J. M'Gree, J. Woods.

DARLINGHURST.—Macleay street and Challis-avenue, Potts Point: Ald. J. Farrell, E. E. Judd, Mr. Sinel.

WAVERLEY.—Cook and Park roads, Centennial Park: Mr. Moxon (Chair), W. Hosack (Returned Soldier), W. Martin, G. J. Sinclair.

WAVERLEY.—M'Pherson-street and St. Thomas-street (near cemetery): Mr. Amos (Chair), T. M. Thick, G. H. Sinclair, 8 p.m., Geo. M'Carthy.

WAVERLEY.—Bondi J.: Hon. T. J. Ryan, Premier of Queensland, 8.30, Ald. L. J. O'Hara, and others.

MERRYLANDS.—W. Peat.

ROSE BAY.—Dover-road and N. S. Head-road: Geo. Saunders, R. Coreman.

DULWICH HILL.—Hurlstone tram terminus: J. J. Cahill, G. Paul, W. Padgen, R. G. Edwards.

CITY.—School of Arts, Pitt-street: Capt. Toombs, ex-M.L.A., H. Wild, Miss M. Lawford.

MANLY.—Corso: D. Weir, Queensland, M.L.A., J. Dooley, M.L.A.

WATERLOO.—Pitt and Phillip streets: Miss B. Golding, T. D. Geering, Senator Grant, 8 p.m.

WATERLOO.—George and John streets: F. S. Spillman, W. Fata, G. Tennent, Mrs. C. Fox.

CROYDON.—Boundary and Young streets: P. Toohey, E. Givins.

BURWOOD.—Burwood-road: A. F. Leonard, G. Jackson, J. P. Cochrane, M.L.A.

HURSTVILLE.—Masonic Hall: Mrs. Carnham, Mrs. Lahiff, Mrs. Locke-Burns, W. H. Mackenzie (Returned Soldier).

MIRANDA.—6.25 train from Sydney: A. Hunter, P. F. Mooney, A. Hannan.

HURLSTONE PARK.—Near Tram Terminus: D. Clyne, O. F. Beach.

RYDE.—School of Arts: Committee Meeting. Business important.

PADDINGTON.—Norfolk-street and Suffolk-street: J. R. McIntyre, J.P., D. E. Chalker, W. E. Gay.

ANNANDALE.—Collins and Young streets: P. Drew, Mrs. Harrington, H. E. Kelly, 8 p.m.

ANNANDALE.—Trafalgar-street and The Crescent (Balmain tram): P. Drew, 8 p.m.; G. Denvers, H. E. Kelly.

CONCORD.—Alba-street and Concord-road: H. Dobson, 8 p.m.; S. Grant, Miss M. Byrne.

CONCORD WEST.—M'Kenzie-street and Victoria-avenue: H. Dobson, J. Jones.

NEWTOWN.—Goodsell and John streets: Reg. De Vulder, J. Mostyn, J. Forest.

NEWTOWN.—Linthorpe-street (off Erskineville-road): J. Johnson (Returned Soldier), Mrs. Roach, O. C. Pennington, R. G. Roach.

NEWTOWN.—Burren and Wilson streets: C. M. Mahon, J. King, A. W. Taylor, J. Johnson (Returned Soldier).

GRANVILLE.—Clyde-street and Sydney-road: H. Lestrange, D. T. Mutch.

PENSHURST.—Hodgson's Hall, 3 p.m.: Rev. A. Rivett, Mrs. Melville, Miss I. Swan.

MAROUBRA.—Dudley's Corner: E. Riley, M.H.R. 9.15 p.m.), F. J. O'Reilly, H. Lappard, Ald. Miller, J. Woods, 10 p.m.

LONG BAY RESERVE.—J. S. Garden, E. Riley, M.H.R., J. O'Sullivan, Ald. Miller.

LIVERPOOL ASYLUM.—2 p.m.: J. Maclay.

NEWTOWN.—Camdenville League, Alice-street and Walenore-avenue: W. Row, C. C. Lazzarini, M.L.A., R. Pinkerton.

ENFIELD.—Broadway: Mrs. Kerwin, J. Joseph.

ALEXANDRIA.—Boundary Hotel, Boundary-street: J. C. Rogers, T. D. Geering, C. Roy.

ROZELLE.—National and Darling streets: J. C. Griffiths, H. C. Johnson, M. Bierman, W. G. Mahony, M.H.R., J. Quirk, M.L.A.

REDFERN.—Renwick and Turner streets: W. J. McKell, M.L.A., Mr. Hegney, Mr. Hackett.

ERSKINEVILLE.—Committee Meeting will be held at the Council-chambers, Swanson-street, at 7.30 p.m. All supporters invited.

MARRICKVILLE.—Illawarra-road and Warren-road: F. Field, C. C. Lazzarini, M.L.A., F. Landon.

REDFERN.—Bourke and Telopea streets: W. J. McKell, M.L.A., Mr. Hegney, Mr. Hackett.

GLEBE.—Monster Rally, Mitchell-street: Con. Wallace, M.H.R., Senator Wolr (South Africa), T. Keegan, M.L.A., W. Martin.

PADDINGTON.—Meeting of Workers for Polling Day, at 198 Oxford-street.

FLEMINGTON.—B. Olde, A. H. Williams.

LIVERPOOL.—G. M. Burns, J. Maclay.

CAMPBELLTOWN.—E. Mooney.

LIDCOMBE.—T. Arthur, W. T. Sturgess.

AUBURN.—W. T. Sturgess, 8 p.m., M. Daveren.

BONDI.—Murriverie-road and O.S. Head-road: W. J. Boston, ex-M.L.A., 8 p.m., Mrs E. Dwyer.

BONDI.—Denham-street and Fletcher-street: W. Boston, ex-M.L.A., C. L. Weston.

CROW'S NEST.—Protestant Hall: 3 p.m., Mrs. Kirwin, J. Fingleton, ex-M.L.A.

LEICHHARDT.—Hill and McKenzie streets: J. J. Swann, J. Radford, W. J. O'Brien, M.L.A.

LEICHHARDT.—Garrett and Elswick streets: W. Butler, T. Keegan, M.L.A., J. Radford.

CHATSWOOD.—Willoughby Hotel: A. H. Conroy, ex-M.H.R., J. B. Steel.

PARRAMATTA NORTH.—Post-office: Mrs. K. Dwyer, 8 p.m., J. O. Moroney.

PARRAMATTA SOUTH.—Church and Western roads: Mrs. K. Dwyer, J. O. Moroney, 8 p.m.

ROSEHILL.—Harvey's Hotel: F. Sinclair.

BANKSTOWN.—Candell Park, Norman and Market streets: J. Lee (Mayor of Bankstown), G. Neilson.

WENTWORTHVILLE.—Railway Station: Alderman M. Burke, M.L.A., 8 p.m.

WESTMEAD.—Railway Bridge: Alderman M. Burke, M.L.A., 9 p.m.

MIDDAY MEETINGS.

BALMAIN.—Near Lever Bros.', Reynolds-street.

BALMAIN.—Near Mort's Dock.

DRUMMOYNE.—Near Perdriau Rubber Works: Miss Byrne, Jas. Jamieson.

All Speakers who cannot fulfil their engagements please notify J. M. POWER before 4 p.m.

RESERVED SPEAKERS.

'Phone or call at Macdonell House before 6 p.m. G. O. Armstrong, J. Brodie, G. Boland, W. Carey, G. Cody, G. M. Davies, A. Freeman, F. Pinkstone.

COUNTRY MEETINGS.
(All communications re Country Speakers only to be addressed to Senator J. Grant, 321 Pitt-street, Sydney.)
SENATOR GARDINER.
Parkes ... Tuesday, 18th
Orange ... Wednesday, 19th
A. BLAKELEY, M.H.R.
Coonamble ... Tuesday, 18th
Dubbo ... Wednesday, 19th
MR. JACK BAILEY.
Tumut ... Wednesday, 19th
P. F. LOUGHLIN, M.L.A.
Cootamundra ... Tuesday, 18th
Harden ... Wednesday, 19th
J. GUEST.
Quirindi ... Tuesday, 18th
Murrurundi ... Wednesday, 19th
Blandford ... Wednesday, 19th.
J. A. FRAZER.
Appletree Flat ... Tuesday, 18th
Mudgee ... Wednesday, 19th
E. O'DEA.
Harden ... Tuesday, 18th
Goulburn ... Wednesday, 19th
R. W. CRUICKSHANK.
Grahamstown ... Tuesday, 18th
Adelong ... Wednesday, 19th
J. ESTELL, M.L.A.
Singleton ... Tuesday, 18th
A. H. HIGGINS.
Bellingen ... Wednesday, 19th
MRS. GREVILLE.
Blacktown ... Tuesday, 18th
Parramatta ... Wednesday, 19th
HEDLEY V. ROGERS.
Bowraville ... Tuesday, 18th
Nambucca Heads ... Wednesday, 19th
ESSELL HOAD.
Culcairn ... Tuesday, 18th
Wagga ... Wednesday, 19th
R. J. STUART-ROBERTSON, M.L.A.
Yass ... Tuesday, 18th
Camperdown ... Wednesday, 19th
PETER BOWLING.
Bathurst ... Tuesday, 18th.
Lithgow ... Wednesday, 19th
D. R. ACTON.
Mudgee ... Tuesday, 18th.
JACK KEARNEY.
Wellington ... Tuesday, 18th.
JAMES ARAHILL, Returned Soldier.
Mittagong ... Tuesday, 18th.
Bundanoon ... Wednesday, 19th.
JACK BURNS.
Liverpool ... Tuesday, 18th.
Mittagong ... 7 p.m., Wednesday, 19th
Bowral ... 8.15 p.m., Wednesday, 19th.
Moss Vale ... 9.15 p.m., Wednesday, 19th.
G. MEATHERINGHAM.
Koorawatha ... Tuesday, 18th.
Young ... Wednesday, 19th.
J. BOLLARD (ex-Sergeant, 1st Pioneers).
Morven ... Tuesday, 18th.
Holbrook ... Wednesday, 19th.
J. O'CONNOR.
Richmond (with R. Amos) ... Tuesday, 18th.
Windsor ... Wednesday, 19th.
W. ANDERSON, A.W.U.
Bourke ... Wednesday, 19th.
T. J. SMITH, M.L.A.
Penrith ... Tuesday, 18th.
G. T. C. MILLER, M.L.A.
Bungendore ... Tuesday, 18th.
Cooma ... Wednesday, 19th.
W. J. RYLES.
Bowral ... Tuesday, 18th.
A. V. ROBERTS.
Mirrool ... Tuesday, 18th.
Ariah Park ... Wednesday, 19th.
L. F. MANNING.
Mogo ... Tuesday, 18th.
Moruya ... Wednesday, 19th.
P. ADLER.
Binalong ... Tuesday, 18th.
Gunning ... Wednesday, 19th.
R. T. D. O'HALLORAN.
Hay ... Tuesday, 18th.
J. P. LYNCH, EX-M.L.A.
Cootamundra ... Tuesday, 18th.
Gundagai ... Wednesday, 19th.
Mrs. ANNIE TOOHEY.
The Rock ... Tuesday, 18th.
Wagga ... Wednesday, 19th.
P. BROOKFIELD, M.L.A.
Geurie ... 3 p.m., Tuesday, 18th.
Wellington ... 8 p.m., Tuesday, 18th.
Lithgow (women) ... 3 p.m., Wednesday, 19th.
Katoomba ... 8 p.m., Wednesday, 19th.
W. DAVIES, M.L.A.
Nowra ... Tuesday, 18th.
Wollongong (with A. C. Willis) Wednesday, 19th.
GEO. WAITE.
Morrisset ... Tuesday, 18th.
Wyong ... Wednesday, 19th.
S. NICHOLLS, M.H.R.
Rockley ... Tuesday, 18th.
Bathurst ... Wednesday, 19th.
T. D. MUTCH, M.L.A.
Kempsey ... Tuesday, 18th.
PAT. KENNA, R. W. and G. L.
Bowral ... Tuesday, 18th.
Mittagong ... Wednesday, 19th.
W. H. HUTCHISON, V.P. BOOT TRADE UNION.
Ourimbah ... Tuesday, 18th
Gosford (with J. Sinclair) ... Wednesday, 19th.
J. SINCLAIR.
Hawkesbury ... Tuesday, 18th.
Gosford (with W. H. Hutchison) ... Wednesday, 19th.
F. GARNER, RETURNED SOLDIER.
Hay ... Tuesday, 18th.
Cootamundra ... Wednesday, 19th.
R. A. MARTIN.
Cowra ... Tuesday, 18th
Young ... Wednesday, 19th.
J. W. ROE.
Coledale ... Tuesday, 18th.
R. AMOS.
Richmond ... Tuesday, 18th.
JAMES BREEN.
Pitt Town ... Tuesday, 18th.
Windsor ... Wednesday, 19th.
P. J. ROSS AND A. WALSH.
Round Swamp ... Wednesday, 19th.
MRS. SINGLETON.
Yetholme ... Tuesday, 18th.
Burraga ... Wednesday, 19th.
T. ARTHUR.
Windsor ... Wednesday, 19th.
J. CHARLTON.
Corrimal ... Wednesday, 19th.
J. SWEENEY.
Corrimal ... Wednesday, 19th.
W. H. LAMB and PRIVATE PRIORY.
Molong ... Tuesday, 18th.
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COMPELLING THE COWARDS.

In the mighty Referendum
That is coming swift and soon,
We are asked to vote Conscription,
And to pipe Compulsion's tune;
If we don't we're hapless objects,
Like the man in yonder moon.

Strange enough, the greatest statesman
Born into this world below,
Placed his veto on Compulsion—
Dealt the thing a deadly blow—
Hurled it into dark oblivion,
In the war-times long ago.

'Twas the famous war-commander—
Son of saintly Jochebed,
Who for nearly half a century
Conquering hosts to victory led;
Half a million warsmen triumphed
With this hero at their head.

Never mortal won distinction
In a wider sense than he,
Countless foes before him vanished
On the land and on the sea;
When he lifted up his standard
All the provinces were free.

He was not a warman only,
Though he won in every war;
He was famed for love and letters,
And his name is held in awe;
He was poet, scribe, and author,
But his masterpiece was law.

He was Statesman, Leader, Lawyer,
He was three men rolled in one;
He was brave and learned and gifted,
And was second unto none;
All his words were wise and weighty,
For his "place was in the sun."

In the five books he has written
There are gems of priceless worth,
And they [illegible] beyond contention
His [illegible] and birth;
They are prized by countless readers
To the ends of all the earth.

Here's a gem of genuine wisdom
In the [illegible] book that he wrote;
There are many more as lucid
Which there is no need to quote;
But this one is rich in logic,
As our people all must note.

"When the battle is approaching,
And the slaughter's soon to start,
Let the faint and fearful hearted
To their distant homes depart,
Lest they make their comrades fearful—
Make them faint of hand and heart."

That's the coffin of Compulsion,
And conscription's "down and out;"
That should put to shame and silence
All the talk we hear about;
But no doubt our legislators
Will revive their petty shout.

Here's a glowing panegyric
On this famous soldier sage,
From the pen of modern poet
Of our own accomplished age,—
From the wife of Derry's Bishop,
Printed on the classic page.

"This was the bravest warrior
That ever buckled sword,
This the most gifted poet
That ever breathed a word;
And never earth's philosopher
Traced with his golden pen,
On the deathless page, truth's half so sage,
As he wrote down for men."

He was not the only warman
To depend on volunteers,
For we read of Jerubbaal
In the later troublous years,
Sending home the hopeless tremblers
With their nervousness and fears.

He was faced by countless legions
On a dark historic day,
Who before him in the valley
Like to swarms of locusts lay,
Yet he favoured not Compulsion
For he sent the curs away.

More than half his men departed
But a handful still remained;
With these brave selected gallants
He a deathless glory gained,
Crushed his foes with dire destruction
And his provinces retained.

Had we need of further lessons
We could find them nearer home,
We could find them in the trenches
Or upon the trackless foam;
Nervous men in war are failures—
This you'll learn where e'er you roam.

Russia's mighty front was broken
By the men who would not fight;
And the whole of Italy's legions
Had to save themselves in flight,
Just because some tremblers bolted
When destruction loomed in sight.

If Australia courts disaster
On the far off battlefield,
She will vote straight for Conscription
And her doom will thus be sealed;
If she puts her curs in khaki,
When there's danger they will yield.

If she wants success and glory
On the land and on the wave,
She will vote against Compulsion
Though the outlook may be grave,
For success is won in warfare
Only by the deathless brave.

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DARK FORCES IN AUSTRALIA. Australian Rasputins.

Extracts from **MEMO BY "STATE PREMIER HOLMAN" ON RECRUITING. 7/2/'17.**

1. The time when mere exhortation from the public platform would be effective has passed.

2. The necessities of the present moment are:—

(1) To create a new atmosphere.

(2) To bring to bear new economic factors.

3. The atmosphere. To-day the general public are quite unaware of any alteration in the situation. Business, pleasure, amusement, and ordinary interests go on quite as usual.

4. Further than this, the Press reports the ordinary subjects of news, supplemented by war news, as if the two were of equal interest.

5. Both of these factors must be corrected in order to create a better atmosphere.

6. **Great restrictions should occur in amusements.**—

(a) **Theatres should be either partly closed** or restricted to serious and patriotic subjects, or compelled, if they do give entertainments, to accompany them by patriotic appeals.

(b) **Music halls and picture shows** should be either partly closed or restricted to serious and patriotic subjects, or compelled, if they do give entertainments, to accompany them by patriotic appeals.

(c) **The Stadium and other purely athletic displays should be entirely suppressed.**

(d) Racing should be considerably diminished.

7. **The press should be placed under a well-organised censorship.** It should be forbidden

(1) **To publish any reports of social events;**

(2) **Of race meetings;**

(3) **Of athletic fixtures;**

(4) **Of theatrical productions, except where those productions are of a serious or patriotic character approved by the censor.**

It should be forbidden to publish any war news under headlines of any kind.

It **should be compelled** to publish at stated intervals select articles describing the sufferings of the Allied peoples whose territory is in the occupation of the enemy, and special articles comparing the measure of sacrifice endured by such Allies with that experienced in Australia.

8. Economic factors.

A census should be taken of the whole of the men employed by the Railway Commissioners on duplication. **Those who are unmarried and of military age should be dismissed**—not necessarily simultaneously.

Arrangements should be made for them to be interviewed by recruiting sergeants, or preferably other recruiting agents. This should be done, not at the navvies' camps, where the individuals will be surrounded by influences hostile to recruiting, but on their arrival at railway depots.

Properly organised arrangements should be made for leading them into the military camps.

9. Similar arrangements should be made with regard to the men now engaged by the Public Works Department.

10. Similar arrangements should be made in connection with the Harbour Trust and the Water and Sewerage Board. (NOTE.—The staff of the Water and Sewerage Board cannot be reduced beyond a certain limit.)

11. **Most important. The employers of the State should be got together.** They should be asked each to consider—

(1) **How far single men of military age can be replaced by married men and men over military age.**

(2) **How they can be replaced by young men and boys.**

(3) **How far they can be replaced by women.**

(4) **How far they can be dispensed with altogether.**

The industries of the State should be reorganised upon this footing. When this is done the employers should be invited to, as far as possible, dispense with men who ought to be defending the country.

12. **It would be well worth while considering what papers there are advocating, under the guise of anti-conscription, the non-continuance of the war.** As far as I am aware, there is no organisation within the Government following up publications of the Press and taking action where such action is necessary. This should be done. The Publicity Officer of my Department (Mr. Harpur) might be directed to obtain every paper which has a disloyal turn, report upon it with a view to consideration, and, if necessary, to action.

13. **I take it for granted that the public men of the Commonwealth would, from day to day, make statements of the nature of exhortations which could appear under this scheme in the Press, urging a cheerful acceptance of the sacrifice involved.**

The foregoing proves that Mr. Holman **endeavoured to conspire with others to starve men into enlisting and to force women and children to take their places.** The foregoing also proves **that his public advocacy of free speech and a free Press is a sham.**

Holman and Hughes are the Rasputins of Australia. STRIKE A BLOW AT THESE "DARK" FORCES OF AUSTRALIA BY

Voting NO.

HOLMAN EXPOSED.

If there is any character in the range of human nature more hateful than the tyrant it is THE HYPOCRITE.

Nero excites our anger, but Uriah Heep our loathing. From the one we turn to curse, from the other we turn to vomit.

The man who frankly and brutally oppresses you deserves the hardest blow you can give him. And you glory in striking back with all your might.

But what of the hypocrite who is a friend to your face, and behind your back plots your destruction? What of the slimy fraud who mouths of freedom in public places, and under the cloak of darkness seeks to establish a despotism that would operate in sinister and secret ways?

The war has revealed to us many tyrants, in many lands; in this respect Australia suffers no unenviable distinction. But in the matter of hypocrites brought to light by the battle flames it has to be acknowledged with shame that our Commonweath ranks first and worst.

William Holman, Premier of New South Wales, has fastened upon us a STIGMA FOR WHICH WE BLUSH BEFORE THE WORLD.

The publication by the No-Conscripttion Council of a CONFIDENTIAL DOCUMENT, which he drew up for the consideration of his Cabinet colleagues in February last, has disclosed him to the country as a politician of a type so odious that even the agents of Capitalism, unscrupulous as they are, refused to follow his lead, and shrank in disgust from the devilish proposals he submitted to them for THE COERCION OF THE WORKING CLASS.

This renegade on the Labour Movement, this betrayer of a Cause by which he climbed to place and power, was actually TOO STRONG for those who had profited by his treachery.

In his secret "Memo on Recruiting" he advocated that ALL THE SINGLE MEN of military age on the railway duplication works SHOULD BE DISMISSED; with the obvious object of starving them into enlisting.

Similar action by the Public Works Department and by the Harbour Trust and the Water and Sewerage Board was also recommended.

But this Uriah Heep in office went a great deal further than that. He aspired to exercise his genius for malevolent hypocrisy on the widest possible scale.

So he wrote on his memo. "MOST IMPORTANT," and under that heading proceeded to advise that "The Employers of the State should be got together."

With what purpose, think you? Unless you had the evil prescience of Old Nick you'd never guess.

William Holman's object in wanting to bring the bosses into his recruiting scheme was to try to persuade them to inaugurate an INDUSTRIAL REIGN OF TERROR by the wholesale sacking of single men in their employment and the substitution of old men, boys, and women.

"The industries of the State," he wrote, "should be re-organised upon this footing."

In additon to these measures, such a GARROTTING OF THE PRESS was urged by William Holman as would have paled into insignificance anything yet attempted in the censorship line.

And the members of his Cabinet would not have it. For the most part capitalist representatives, men by no means squeamish in their warfare on the workers, their stomachs, if not their consciences, revolted against the atrocious suggestions made to them by this traitor to his class.

Henceforth, William Holman, we know you for what you are—the most malignant of our enemies, because, brewing poison for us in the shadows, in the light of day your words are smooth and your smile is bland.

Quite recently you breathed an unctuous hope that absolute freedom of discussion would be permitted on the platform and in the Press

I was completely taken in by your perfervid advocacy of a free Press. I waited upon you to secure your help in this connection

I understand that you addressed a meeting of the Institute of Journalists on the subject. They were not aware then, nor was I, that only a few months before you had formulated A SCHEME FOR THE GAGGING OF THE PRESS more drastic than anything in existence anywhere on earth.

But we know you now, William Holman, thanks to the discovery of your confidential "Memo. on Recruiting."

We know that your public utterances are HYPOCRITICAL THROUGH and THROUGH. We know that in secrecy you were planning, not only to throttle the papers—especially those opposed to your Government—but to victimise tens of thousands of young men by taking their means of livelihood from them, and lashing them with the knotted whip of hunger into fighting for well-fed eligibles in nice soft billets, like yourself.

We know you as a stalwart, athletic patriot who has not donned khaki; who denies himself none of the good things of life, while preaching self-sacrifice or compulsory deprivation for other men; who gives sword and bayonet displays with toy weapons for the entertainment of fashionable shirkers; who goes to Europe, not to shed his blood for the Empire, as he would force others to do, but to sip tea in the drawing-rooms of titled ladies, bask in the patronage of noble lords, and appear at the Front—as a distinguished VISITOR ONLY.

We know you to-day, William Holman, if we never did before. All Australia knows you. The sensational publication of your secret "Memo." has exposed you as a political hypocrite, luckily without an equal; as the advocate of an attack upon the liberties of the working class so savage and ruthless in its nature that neither your capitalistic colleagues nor the members of the Employers' Federation would agree to it, as one who, prating of freedom in the limelight, conspired against it behind the scenes; and in the ardour of betrayal offered so much to the workers' enemies for the Judas wage that was paid you that they rejected it, actuated, it would seem, by a sense of public decency, to which you are a stranger.

For even in the hour of exposure, with the mask of hypocrisy torn from your features, instead of sinking to the earth with shame, your one anxiety is to learn how your confidential "Memo." came into our hands.

It needed but this evidence of moral callousness to complete the infamy of your conduct.

We know you now, William Holman, and the knowledge is as repulsive to the mind as a festering sore to the flesh.

For the time being you are safe in office, but if there is any faculty of just resentment in the hearts of the people, this exposure of your hypocrisy and treachery will sound the knell of your public life.

HENRY E. BOOTE, St. Andrew's-place, Sydney.

Authorised by T. C. EVANS, on behalf of the No-Conscription Council, Macdonell House, Pitt-street, Sydney.

DOUBLE CASUALTY LIST.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

KILLED.

Capt. HARRY STEPHENS, Hyde Park, 17/11/17.

Lieut. KENNETH SMITHERS, North Sydney, 10/10/17 (prev. rep. died of wounds, 10/10/17).

Lieut. FREDK. ALEX'R. GUTHRIE, Sydney.

Lieut. Roy OSCAR CLAUDE KEESE, Scone, 16/11/17.

Lieut. JOSEPH PATRICK STEPHEN CLONAN, Sydney, 10/11/17 (result of accident).

2nd-Lieut. JOHN ROBT. WRIGHT, Mudgee, 3/11/17.

Gnr. EDW. ALLEN BELLAMY, Pennant Hills, 3/11/17.

Pte. JOSEPH PHINEAS STONE, Leichhardt, 20/9/17 (prev. rep. missing, 20/9/17).

Cpl. MARK ANTHONY LONG, Kensington, 3/11/17.

Pte. EDWARD ALFRED PARKINSON, Linton, 3/11/17.

Pte. THOMAS LEYDON, Annandale, 3/11/17 (prev. rep. ser. ill).

Pte. ROBERT ANSWORTH, England, 5/11/17.

Pte. WALTER GEORGE TOOGOOD, Bairnsdale, Vic., 5/11/17 (result of accident; prev. rep. ill).

Pte. DOUGALD McDOUGALL, Artarmon, 5/11/17.

Pte. CHAS. DONALDSON ASHER-SMITH, Wahroonga, 9/10/17.

Pte. WILLIAM GERARD, Five Dock, 12/10/17 (prev. rep. wounded).

Pte. ABRAHAM JOSEPH CLIFFORD, West Dapto, 17/11/17 (pre. rep. ill).

Pte. DANIEL JOHN DROUGH, West Maitland, 13/11/17 (prev. rep. ser. wounded).

Pte. WALTER BARRELL, West Wallsend, 13/11/17 (prev. rep. wounded).

Cpl. HARRY BRETT, North Ryde, 8/11/17.

Sgt. LEONARD SAY, England, 7/11/17.

Pte. WM. GARRICK WRENCH, Scotland, 8/11/17.

Cpl. HARRY PAGE, Tamworth, 10/11/17 (p. rep. ill).

Pte. SAMUEL WHITBURN, England, 10/11/17.

Pte. CHAS. MAYNE STANNARD, Arncliffe, 10/11/17 (prev. rep. wounded, 2nd occasion).

Pte. ARNALD FOREST, West Maitland, 10/11/17.

Pte. FREDK. CHRISTENSEN, Stockton, 10/11/17.

Cpl. JOHN BATHURST ISON, Dubbo, 10/11/17.

Pte. NATHANIEL JOHN WILES, Moss Vale, 21/9/17 (prev. rep. wounded).

Pte. MAURICE RENWORTHY BROWN, Hurstville 25/9/17 (prev. rep. died of wounds, 25/9/17).

Pte. RUSSELL MILLER, Balmain, 25/9/17 (prev. rep. died of wounds, 23/9/17).

Sgt. DONALD GORDON-BOCK, Narrandera, 9/11/17.

Cpl. GORDON SELWYN GILLAM, Newcastle, 9/11/17.

Pte. FREDERICK LEO STRICKLAND, Bondi, 6/11/17.

Pte. WILLIAM DAINES, Undercliffe, 4/11/17.

Pte. HENRY GEORGE IRELAND, Rockley, 5/11/17.

Pte. ALFRED CHARLES BANNER, Sydney, 6/11/17.

Pte. GEORGE DICKINSON, England, 12/10/17.

Pte. ROBERT ALEXANDER ROSS, Tenterfield, 16/10/17

Pte. FREDK. THOS. CARMARSH, Balmain, 9/11/17.

Pte. HY. ALBERT CAMPBELL, Narara, 9/11/17.

Cpl. WM. AARON STALLING, Tenterfield, 12/10/17 (prev. rep. missing, 12/10/17).

Pte. JAMES McPHERSON, Scotland, 26/9/17.

Pte. ARTHUR ARCHIE BROTHERHOOD, England, 4/10/17 (prev. rep. died of wounds, 5/10/17).

Sgt. ALFRED HY. BAKER, Leichhardt, 5/11/17 (prev. rep. wounded).

Pte. ALFRED CHAPMAN, Orange, 5/11/17.

Pte. WM. McCARTHY, Ben Lomond, 5/11/17.

Pte. HAROLD EDWIN WILLIAMS, Parramatta, 5/11/17.

Pte. NORMAN ALLAN CHALLIS, Marrickville, 1/11/17.

Gnr. GEO. COGGAN, Kingsdale, 30/9/17 (prev. rep. killed in action, 1/10/17).

Pte. JOHN WILSHIRE, Alexandria, 2-5/10/17 (prev. rep. wounded).

Cpl. ERNEST H. HINTON, Tubbul, 7/10/17.

Pte. CECIL WILFRED LOTT, England, 2-5/10/17 (prev. rep. wounded 3rd occas.).

Pte. GEO. ARTHUR JONES, Lithgow, 27/9/17 (prev. rep. killed in action, 26/9/17).

Pte. ARTHUR BARRON PARK, Scotland, 29/9/17 (prev. rep. killed in action, 29/9/17).

Pte. FRANCIS SAMUEL McCARTHY, Surry Hills, 3/5/17 (prev. rep. missing, 3/5/17).

Pte. WM. JACOB JUSTIN, Surry Hills, 9/10/17 (prev. rep. wounded 2nd occas.).

Pte. EDW. RYAN, Queanbeyan, 6/11/17.

Pte. RICHARD HENRY DUFFIN, Croydon, 6/11/17 (prev. rep. wounded).

Pte. REGINALD JAS. SCOTT, Neutral Bay, 4/11/17.

Pte. ROLAND OSBORNE SINCLAIR, Bimbi, 6/11/17 (prev. rep. wounded).

Sgt. JOHN CLARK KIDDLE, Tinonee, 3/5/17 (prev. rep. missing, 3/5/17).

Cpl. ALBERT EDW. CARROL, Orange, 3/5/17 (prev. rep. missing, 3/5/17).

Gnr. WILLIAM LOCHART FINLAY, Epping, 1/11/17.

Gnr. HARRIE GRANVILLE CRITTENDEN, Wagga Wagga, 3/11/17.

Cpl. WILLIAM YOUNG, Enfield, 17/10/17.

Gnr. JOHN ANDREW MOLYNEAUX, Sydney, 18/10/17.

Cpl. WILFRED DUDLEY LOVEGROVES, Armidale, 6/11/17.

Cpl. WILLIAM REID, Burwood, 6/11/17.

Pte. PHILLIP ANSLEM MADDEN, St. Leonards, 9/11/17 (prev. rep. ill).

Sgt. PERCIVAL GILBERT BARROW, Oudal, 8/11/17.

Pte. WM. ERIC BLACKSHAW, Hurstville, 8/11/17.

Cpl. WALTER HERBERT COURTMAN, England, 3/8/16 (prev. rep. missing, 3/8/16).

Pte. STANLEY IRONMONGER, England, 29/10/17.

DIED OF WOUNDS.

Lieut. ESSINGTON LOWTHER ZOUCH, Nimbin, 17/11/17.

2nd.-Lieut. ERIC SHEEN DOWLING, Chatswood, 18/11/17.

Sgt. ROBERT JAMES HUNTER, Bendigo, V., 15/11/17 (prev. rep. wounded, dang.).

Gnr. ELIAS KEEAMI, Dulwich Hill, 15/11/17 (prev. rep. ill).

Spr. AUGUSTUS CHALSON, Blayney, 29/9/17 (prev. rep. sev. wounded).

Pte. WM. JOHN GREEN, England, 12/11/17.

Pte. WM. HENRY WRIGHT, Double Bay, 7/11/17.

Pte. ARTHUR ALBERT FREEMAN, Albury, 7/11/17.

Pte. JOHN JOSEPH BUCKLEY, Cobar, (prev. rep. dang. wounded).

Pte. JACK DALLOWAY, Geurie, 9/11/17 (prev. rep. wounded).

Pte. GEORGE CLARENCE BOTFIELD, Belar Creek, 7/11/17 (prev. rep. wounded).

Pte. GEORGE McRAE, Sydney, 4/11/17 (prev. rep. wounded).

Pte. ROY HACKETT, Merriwa, 11/11/17 (prev. rep. wounded).

Cpl. GEORGE WALTER BANKS, Granville, 9/11/17 (prev. rep. wounded).

Pte. OLIVER TRESIZE, England, 5/11/17.

Pte. HERBERT WILLIAM CLISSOLD, Enfield, 5/11/17.

Pte. CECIL RICHD. FREDK. DeLACY, Botany, 30/10/17 (prev. rep. wounded).

Pte. CHAS. ROY BUNTING, Garland, 7/11/17.

Pte. HERBERT MAUSELL NEWELL, Walcha, 14/11/17 (prev. rep. dang. wounded).

Pte. WILLIAM CHARLES WELLER, Petersham, 14/11/17.

Pte. ERNEST MORRIS McGARVEY, Bondi, 12/10/17 (prev. rep. killed in action, 11/10/17).

Pte. STANLEY CLIFFORD WALSHE, Woollahra, 12/10/17 (prev. rep. killed in action, 11/10/17).

Pte. GEO. JOS. WILLIS, Lithgow, 8/11/17 (prev. rep. wounded).

Pte. WM. ERNEST GREBER, Tuckurimba, 16/11/17 (prev. rep. wounded, dang.).

Pte. DENNIS MULLEN, Yourowah, 3/11/17.

Pte. HELIER LESLIE CECIL DUNN, Mambula (prev. rep. wounded).

Pte. HERBERT CECIL FOWLER, Parramatta, 5/11/17.

Pte. WALTER MAXWELL, Waverley, 11/11/17 (p. r. wounded).

Pte. JAS. MULCAHY, England, 9/11/17 (p. r. sev. wounded).

Pte. GEO. FREDK. WALSH, Granville, 9/11/17.

L.-cpl. JACK FOGWELL, Glebe Point, 3/11/17.

Pte. HAROLD TUCK, Seven Hills, 1/11/17.

Pte. ATHOL CLYDE FAINT, Upper Manilla, 4/11/17.

Dvr. GEO. JOHN MORRISON, Scone, 5/11/17.

Pte. ALBERT EDWARD DAWSON, Abbotsford, 4/11/17.

Gnr. OLIVER JOSEPH AUBUSSON, Brighton Le Sands, 2/10/17 (p. r. k. in a., 1/10/17).

Pte. WILLIAM GEO. AGATE, Marrickville, 6/11/17.

Pte. CECIL THOMAS HILLIS, England, 3/11/17.

Pte. JAMES MARSHALL, Guyra, 16/11/17.

Pte. WILLIAM JUKES, England, 10/11/17.

Pte. ALFRED BOYER, Brookvale, 11/11/17.

Dvr. CHARLES WILLIAM PRELL, Crookwell, 8/10/17.

Pte. ERNEST ROTHWELL ROTHERY, Hyde Park, 29/10/17.

Pte. JOHN WILLIAM HARVEY HALLMAN, Bingara, 12/11/17.

L.-cpl. EDWARD VICTOR HUGHES, Hamilton, 9/11/17 (p. r. wounded).

Spr. BENJAMIN SAMUEL ARNOLD, Mosman, 31/10/17.

Cpl. MICHAEL PATRICK MULCAHY, Ascot Vale, Vic., 31/10/17.

Cpl. PERCY EDWIN CALVER, New Zealand, 12/11/17 (p. r. wounded 2nd occ.).

T.-sgt. GILBERT CHAS. GREEN, Bourke, 13/11/17.

Pte. RICHARD HARK BATTS, England, 13/11/17 (p. r. wounded).

Pte. LESLIE HAROLD NEVILLE, Taree, 7/11/17 (p. r. sev. wounded).

Pte. WILLIAM CHALMERS, Scotland, 12/11/17.

DIED OF ILLNESS.

Pte. LEONARD PERRY, Cootamundra, 3/11/17 (p. r. dang. ill).

Pte. HERBERT WALLACE STROUT, Woollah, 20/9/17.

DIED—CAUSE NOT STATED.

Pte. ROY STANFORD, Tatham, 18/11/17.

PRISONERS OF WAR.

Pte. HERBERT HAROLD PHILLIPS, Newtown (p. r. missing, 12/10/17).

Pte. TOM COOTES, Richmond (p. r. missing, 12/10/17).

MISSING.

Pte. HENLEY THOS. SOUTHWELL BEMRICK, Beecroft, 12/10/17.

Pte. ALBERT COBCROFT, Upper Horton, 12/10/17. (p. r. wounded).

Pte. LEO OSCAR LOCK, Tingha, 12/10/17.

Pte. WILLIAM SAWYER, England, 12/10/17.

Cpl. JAMES HENRY SMALLWOOD, Quirindi, 12/10/17.

Pte. NORMAN ARTHUR READ, Attunga, 10/10/17.

Pte. HOWARD JAS. WHITEMAN, Narrabri, 10/10/17.

WOUNDED.

Mjr. FRANCIS THORNTHWAITE, Kew, Vic. (2nd occ.), gas (p. r. ret. to duty).

Capt. PAUL GOLDENSTEDT, Sydney.

Capt. BRIAN SEYMOUR GAYNOR, Sydney (sev.), gas.

Lieut. WILLIAM THOMAS CLARKE, Liverpool (ser. p. r. ill).

Lieut. LESLIE LIONEL MITTON, Newtown (2nd occ. ser., p. r. ret. to duty).

Lieut. WILLIAM GORDON DRUMMOND, Lochart.

Lieut. OSWALD NORMAN HAYES, Como.

Lieut. JOHN MARHAM CARTER, England, sev.

Lieut. ALEXANDER MacKELLAR, Darling Pt.

Lieut. JOHN PATK. SHERIDAN, Coraki.

Lieut. RICHARD BROWNLOW DIXON, Tamworth.

2nd-Lt. GEO. TURNER WENSOR, Goulburn, (rem. at duty).

Pte. WILLIAM WALWYN, England, gas.

Pte. FRANK JOHNSON GATES, Petersham.

Pte. ROWLAND WATKINS HINES, Arncliffe.

Pte. GEORGE BUCHAN, Sth. Randwick, gas.

Pte. OSCAR EDWIN STONZ, St. Peters, gas.

Pte. HARRY CLEGG MASSINGHAM, Kogarah.

Pte. HENRY [illegible], Coolatai.

Dvr. GEORGE ERNEST MASSEY, England.

Pte. THOMAS JOHN O'DONNELL, Old Junee.

Pte. HAROLD WALTER GODDARD, Petersham.

Pte. CHARLES WILLIAM BELPITT, Linwood, gas.

Pte. JOHN THOMAS SYMONS, England, sev.

Pte. LEO. ALEXDR. CLARKE, Bairnsdale, V., (2nd occ.), p. r. rtd. to duty.

T.-Cpl. BERT MAXWELL JOHNSON, North Sydney, 4th occ. (gas).

Pte. HUGHIE KERR, Grong Grong.

Pte. FREDERICK WALSH, North Sydney.

Pte. JOHN AUGUST LARKIN, Newtown, 2nd occ., sev. (p. r. ret. to duty).

Pte. WALTER ERNEST DON, Casino, sev.

Pte. WILLIAM JOSEPH BROWN, Flemington, 2nd occ. (p. r. ret. to duty).

Pte. ROY JONES, Braidwood, 2nd occ., not ill (p. r. ill).

Pte. HAROLD RUPERT LIDDIARD, Abbotsford, not ill (p. r. ill).

Pte. ARTHUR GEORGE GREEN, England, not ill (p. r. ill).

Pte. FREDERICK JOHN JESSUP, Leichhardt, sev.

Pte. ARNOLD EDWARD FORBES, Wallsend.

Pte. GIFFORD WILLIAM PARKIN, St. Mary's.

Pte. THOMAS FITZSIMMONS, Dora Creek.

Pte. ARTHUR SHORT, England, 3rd occ.

Pte. AVERY EDAL TYRELL, Pokolbin.

Pte. STANLEY BONHAM STOCKER, Parkside, S.A. (sev.).

Pte. GEORGE WEBB, Narromine.

Pte. ARCHIBALD WHITE, Liechhardt.

Pte. JAMES CHAS. MANMAN, Kensington.

Pte. ALFRED STUBBS, Windsor (sev.).

Pte. EDWARD VINCENT GORDON, Nyngan.

Pte. CHARLES HENRY LESTER, Arncliffe (shell shock, prev. rep. ill).

Pte. GEORGE HENRY LUCRE, Abermain.

Pte. JAS. DESMOND McCORMACK, Binda (gas).

L.-Cpl. ERNEST MURPHY, Griffith (gas, p. r. ill).

Pte. HENRY RICHARD ARNOLD, Mayfield (2nd. occ., gas).

Pte. GEORGE WALSH, Nyngan (sev.).

Pte. JOSEPH MICHAEL RUSSELL, Goulburn.

Pte. PERCY ACKROYD, Rosebery.

Pte. PETER SMITH, St. Peters (gas).

Pte. THOS. ARTHUR BROWN, Narrabeen (sev.).

Pte. WALLACE BAKER, Boggabri.

Pte. WM. JOHN LEWIN, Tumbling (sev.).

Pte. PATRICK FRANCIS MOONEY, Winton.

Pte. JOHN JENSEN, Wasleys, S.A.

Pte. WM. JOHN GEARY, Young.

Pte. HARRY CHRISTEN ANDERSON HANSON, Enfield.

Pte. SYDNEY PERCY PARKES, Killara.

Pte. THOS. GORMAN, Ireland (2nd occ., shell shock).

Pte. ALEX. ALBERT AYERST, Wickham (shell shock).

Pte. FRANCIS HERBERT PEARSON, Newcastle.

Pte. JOHN HENRY VIDLER, Bellinger (gas, and ill).

Pte. CLAUDE VICTOR HEYES, England (2nd. occ.).

Pte. JOHN HENRY DIVER, Cessnock.

Pte. CLIFFORD LEE, Scone.

Pte. WM. ALFRED FERGUSON, Mosman.

Pte. ALBEN OLSSON, Newtown (3rd occ., gas, prev. rep. injured).

Pte. WALTER PATRICK EVANS, Coogee (sev.).

Pte. FRANK DIGWEED, Campsie (sev., 2nd occ.).

Pte. EDMUND CHARLES WALL, Sydney (2nd occ.).

Pte. JAMES LATHAM, Kyneton, Vic. (3rd occ., p. r. ret. to duty).

Pte. EDWARD ROY MILLS, Denman.

L.-cpl. WALTER WALDRON WILLIAMS, Gundagai (2nd occ., p. r. ret. to duty).

Pte. GEORGE MILLIKEN, Gerilambone (2nd occ.).

Pte. JOHN BENNETT DWYER, Orange.

Pte. FREDRICK EDWARD DUDLEY, Campsie.

Pte. HUGH CONNELL, Scotland.

Pte. GEORGE TARRY, England (2nd occ.).

Pte. GERALD BECKETT, Newtown (dang.).

Pte. OSCAR BROMLEY, England.

Sgt. JAMES ALEXANDER GRAHAM, Ballarat E., Vic.

Cpl. WILLIAM EDWARD BOYD, Willoughby (2nd occ., p. r. ill).

Pte. VERNON BALFOUR McFARLANE, Potts Point (sev.).

Pte. GEORGE BOAG, Newtown.

Pte. EDWARD BIRKETT, Binnaway (3rd occ.).

Sgt. ERNEST HENRY CHAMBERS, Miller's Point (2nd occ.).

Pte. WM. MILLER, Wellington.

Pte. THOS. MICHAEL MULLINS, Little Coogee.

Pte. THOS. WM. ALLEN, Coolamon.

T.-cpl. ARCHIBALD KNOX GIBSON, Marrickville (2nd occ., gas, p. r. ret. to duty).

Pte. PATRK. SULLIVAN, Redfern (2nd occ., p. r. ill).

Pte. LAFAYETTI ARMAGNACQ, Coolgarra, Q.

Pte. BRUCE HEATHCOTE, Colcairn.

Pte. SIDNEY ORLANDO HEYMAN, Tamworth (sev.).

Pte. WM. WALTER MURPHY, Leichhardt (2nd occ.).

Pte. ALBERT ROSS McDONALD, Redfern (p. r. ill).

Pte. NORMAN J. SUTHERLAND, Rockdale.

Pte. WILLIAM STERLING MASON, Katoomba (2nd occ., gas).

Pte. WILLIAM THOMAS KNOX, Teneriffe, Qld. (sev.).

Pte. PETER GOULD YOUNG, Teremeil (sev., gas).

Pte. JOHN BOWEN ROGERS, Brunswick (gas).

Pte. JOHN McDONALD MADDEN, Narrabri (2nd occ., sev., gas).

Pte. L. C. WILSON, Kogarah.

Pte. ROSS MAHER, Koribar (gas).

Pte. GEORGE EDWARD REYNOLDS, Armidale (2nd occ., p. r. r. to duty).

Pte. AUBREY THOMAS SEARLE, England (2nd occ., p. r. r. to duty).

Pte. PETER LEGG, Erskineville.

Pte. ALBERT ERNEST MAPLES, Young (gas).

Pte. JOSEPH FERRIS, Alexandria.

Pte. GREGORY VAUGHAN, Redfern.

Pte. HERBERT McCARTHY, Maitland.

Spr. WM. FRANKLIN POLLARD, Kensington.

Gnr. FREDK. GEO. GANNON, Harden.

Spr. THOS. FREDK. CAIRNES, Helensburgh.

Spr. ERNEST ARTHUR DEWHIRST, Gordon.

L.-cpl. JOS. EMERSON SMITH, Granville (2nd oc.).

Pte. PHILLIP GUSTAF A. SYNNERDAHL, Newtown (and remaining on duty).

Pte. THOS. HY. HOOK, Campsie (gas).

Pte. WM. HYDUR CURTIS, England (gas).

Spr. JAMES DALY, Woollahra (gas).

Spr. DUDLEY FUNNELL, Glebe Point (2nd occ.).

Pte. FREDK. HERMAN HOMBSCH, Tamworth (2nd occ.).

Pte. CHAS. REGINALD MARTIN, Curlewis (dang.).

Pte. CHAS. GEORGE KAHLE, Geelong (Vic.), (2nd occ., gas, p. r. ret. to duty).

Pte. ALAN McVICKER SMYTH, Sydney.

Pte. WM. JAMES SMITH, Newtown.

Pte. HENRY WHITE, Hunter's Hill.

Gnr. GEO. HY. BAUSCH, Beaconsfield (Vic.), (gas).

Sgt. JOHN THOS. GILTINAN, Coogee (gas).

Gnr. WM. RYAN, Stawell (Vic.), (gas).

Gnr. STANLEY NORMAN HIGLETT, Enmore (gas).

Gnr. D'ARCY GAISER RUSSELL, Wellington.

Dvr. ALFRED ERNEST JONES, Granville.

Gnr. DAVID HAROLD ETHERINGTON, Manly (app. 2nd occ.).

Gnr. FRANK ORMOND CLEMENT, Kensington (gas).

Dvr. CHAS. ALFRED OLSON, Annandale (gas).

Gnr. FARQUHAR ABERDEEN VINDEN, North Sydney.

Gnr. ALFRED JOHN MAHONEY, England (2nd occ., gas).

Gnr. TOM O'REILLY, Mosman.

Pte. FRANCIS HOWARD, Coonabarabran (2nd occ.).

Pte. LESLIE JOHN LYNCH, Wellington.

Pte. ROBERT DEATON, Enmore (gas).

Pte. HERBERT WM. LEGGETT, Kurri Kurri.

Gnr. GEO. JOHN LIVING, Melbourne (Vic.), (2nd occ., gas, p. r. ret. to duty).

Gnr. HAROLD RINGSTEAD, Summer Hill.

Gnr. THOS. HAROLD GEALE, Dungog.

Gnr. JOHN ANTHONY CASSERA, Abbotsford (gas).

Gnr. THOS. JAMES CORBETT, North Sydney (gas).

Gnr. HARRY MILLER, Bingara.

Dvr. WALTER JOS. HARRISON, Pyrmont.

Gnr. JOHN LLOYD JONES, Wonthaggi (Vic.).

Bmdr. LINDSAY ROBT. MATTHEW LANGTRY, Double Bay.

Gnr. JAMES GODFREY BOOTH, Harden (sev., gas).

Bmdr. WALTER HILL NEIL, Undercliffe (gas).

Dvr. NORMAN ERIC LILLYMAN, Moree (gas).

Gnr. FRANK HY. EDGAR CLIFF, Lindfield.

Gnr. EDMOND ADDINGTON SETON, Glen Innes (gas).

S.-smith PHILIP SAUNDERS, Bingara.

Gnr. GORDON EVELEIGH, Bulga.

A.-bmdr. JOHN NICHOLLS PRESTON, Gladesville.

Dvr. HAROLD HAMILTON REID, Crow's Nest.

Gnr. HERBERT LORNE FENWICK, Nth. Goulburn.

Gnr. ROBERT JOHN HAIGH, Auburn.

Gnr. GORDON WYNYARD LEE, Annandale (gas).

Gnr. ERIC SYLVESTER ALBION, Orange (gas).

Gnr. WM. JAMES WILSON, Ireland.

Gnr. ERNEST KINMONTH M'DOUGALL, Nth. Sydney.

Gnr. WM. JOHN KAIN, Oaklands.

Gnr. HY. BEATTY, Gilgoin.

Bdr. FRANCIS ERIC HOWARD, Parkes (gas).

Gnr. GEOFFREY OATLEY, Mosman (2nd occ., gas).

Gnr. HARRY WALTER DAVIS, Kurrajong (gas).

Pte. ARTHUR SYDNEY BELLINGER, Bourke (gas).

Gnr. JOS. CECIL MUDD, E. Maitland (gas).

Dvr. STEPHEN CLIVE STRAUB, Quirindi (prev. rep. ser. ill).

Gnr. ARTHUR ROY TAYLOR, Stockton.

Sgt. WILLIAM HUGH SILVESTER KEER, Quonmbelong (and rem. at duty).

Pte. GEORGE FRANCIS, Leichhardt (and rem. at duty).

Sgt. MARK HUBERT JOHNSON, Thirroul.

Pte. ROY DARCE WILKINSON, Sydney (2nd occ., gas).

A.-sgt. GEORGE CALVERT BARBER, Warracknabeal, V.

Pte. HENRY GEORGE PHELPS CLELAND, North Sydney (gas).

Pte. CHARLES RICHARD VICTOR BARR, Cowra (gas).

Pte. LESLIE JOHN LITTLE, Manly (gas).

Gnr. BURNETT WILLIAM ASHMORE, Gunbar.

Gnr. MALCOLM MOYES LAWSON, Eastwood.

Dvr. CHAS. BROWNING HALL, Sydney (gas).

Gnr. WM. JOS. GEARY, Auburn (gas).

Gnr. RONALD ROYCE ALLEN, Glebe Point (gas).

Dvr. JACK RUSSELL BUTTON, Coonamble (gas).

Dvr. EDW. CHALK, Darlinghurst (gas).

Gnr. GEO. CORRIE PARSONSON, New Zealand (2nd occ., gas).

Gnr. WM. M'GEE, Ireland (gas).

Pte. JAMES PERCY ALLERTON, Moss Vale.

Cpl. FRANK MORTON, Wagga.

Pte. CLEMENT REID, Broken Hill (2nd occ.).

Dvr. GEO. JOHN SHARP, Portland.

Pte. WALTER RICHARD FAUCETT, Mudgee (sev., gas).

Pte. WM. SCOTT, New Zealand (dang.).

Pte. WALTER WILKINSON BUTLER, Bondi (sev.).

Pte. RICHARD WILSON SCOTT, Lockhart (2nd occ., sev.; prev. rep. ret. to duty).

Pte. ALBERT CHAS. BELL, Queanbeyan.

Pte. W. J. WILSON, Rennock.

Pte. SYDNEY PASQUET SLOMAN HAZELL, Millthorpe.

Pte. CYRIL MORAHAN, Orange (sev.).

Pte. WARWICK ST. JOHN LAKE, Macksville (2nd occ., p. r. ill).

Pte. ROBERT McDONALD, Scotland (sev.).

Pte. CHAS. MONTGOMERY, West Maitland.

Pte. WM. HENRY PEXTON, Cremorne.

Pte. LAWRENCE HERBERT LOOBY, Wagga Wagga (3rd occ., gas).

Pte. JEREMIAH DOHERTY, Goulburn (gas).

Pte. GEO. NORMAN HANCOCK, England (gas).

Pte. JOHN ROY BUDGE, Cobar (gas).

Pte. JOHN BURGESS, Leichhardt (gas).

Pte. GEO. ALLEN KEVILL, Temora (not ill, p. r. ill).

Pte. CLIFTON RHODES FLEASHER, Cockle Creek.

Pte. JAS. THOS. WHITE, Balmain.

Pte. CHAS. FRANCIS FAUVEL, Rozelle.

Pte. WM. THOS. MAYALL, Narrabri (sev.).

Dvr. LESLIE PALMER, Newcastle (and rem. on duty).

Pte. STANLEY McDONALD, England.

Pte. HARRY LITTLE, Pleasant Hills.

Pte. JAMES WHITE, Carrington (shell shock).

Pte. JOHN ROLAND ELTON, Bombala (shell shock).

Pte. FREDERICK DAVIS, Nambucca Heads.

Pte. ROBERT GEORGE ALLWORTH, Arncliffe (sev.).

Pte. DOUGLAS WEAVER, Botany (shell shock, not ill, prev. rep. ill).

Pte. CHAS. WM. KERSLAKE, Bringelly.

Lieut. FRANK CLIFT, England.

Pte. FRANK HILL, East Greta (and msg. 26/9/17, p. r. wounded).

Pte. GEO. SMITH, Blayney (sev., gas).

Cpl. EDW. GRANT, England (and msg. 25/9/17, p. r. wnd., 2nd occ.).

Pte. ROBERT CHAS. CAMBOURNE, Narrandera (gas).

Pte. JOHN THOS. WM. ARTHUR, Woodley, Peak Hill (gas).

Pte. EDGAR JOS. LAING, Woollahra (p. r. ill).

Pte. JAMES HY. JONES, Leichhardt (sev.).

Pte. HY. WARDROP, Pyramul.

Pte. WM. ROBT. CLARK, Sydney (gas).

Pte. GEORGE MENZ, Wagga (sev.).

Pte. JOSEPH WRIGHT, Weston, Vic. (sev., p. r. dang. ill).

Pte. EDWARD JAMES SULLIVAN, W. Wallsend.

Pte. EDWARD GORDON HAIN, Seaham (2nd occ.).

L.-cpl. DAVID JONES, Dudley (2nd occ.).

Pte. MORTON WALTER HOWE, Coopernook (2nd occ., shell shock).

Pte. FREDERICK HENRY HECTOR, Abermain (2nd occ.).

Pte. ARTHUR BRASSINGTON, Manly (2nd occ., gas).

Pte. DONALD McKINNON, Burwood (sev.).

Pte. FRANCIS ROBERT KELLY, Nimmitabel (2nd occ.).

Pte. FRANCIS GEORGE DILNUTT, England.

Pte. CHARLES JAMES WARRINGTON, Port Kembla (3rd occ.).

Pte. ALFRED JOHN LINDSAY, West Maitland (shell shock).

Pte. GEORGE ALEXANDER MINTY, Scotland (sev., gas).

Pte. OSCAR NORMAN SMITH, Coonabarabran (2nd occ., p. r. ret. to duty).

Pte. GEORGE ALFRED BALL, Adamstown (2nd occ.).

Pte. ANDREW PRESCOTT, Tighe's Hill, 3rd occ.).

Pte. AMBROSE LESLIE COTTER, Wilgahland (2nd occ.).

Pte. JAS. STEPHEN GREEN, Smithfield.

Pte. JAS. ERNEST HUGO, Wallsend (2nd occ., rem. at duty; prev. rep. ret. to duty).

Pte. FRANCIS HOWARD, Biggs (sev.).

Pte. ERIC CYRIL FOLEY, Surry Hills (2nd occ.).

Pte. JAS. CHAS. BROWN, Surry Hills (not ill; prev. rep. ill, 2nd occ.).

Pte. GEORGE HARVEY BERRY, Gidley.

Pte. JOHN LESLIE CAMPBELL, Bourke (prev. rep. ill).

Pte. CLARENCE EDWARD MYERS, Barraba.

Pte. WILLIAM HENRY BATHA, Walcha Road (2nd occ., sev.).

Pte. GEORGE HENRY COLLIER, Manilla (2nd occ.).

Pte. LEWIS MILLER, New Zealand (and shell shock).

Pte. GEO. HAROLD RAINGER, Little Plain (sev.).

Pte. EDWARD ROY HUNT, Gilgai.

Pte. HERBERT CYRIL DONNELLY, West Wallsend.

Pte. CHARLES JOHN WORRAD, Scone (gas).

Pte. WM. THOS. CHARLES, Newcastle.

Pte. JOS. BURTON EVANS, Arncliffe.

Pte. WM. GEO. IRVINE, Sth. Fremantle (prev. rep. ill).

Pte. RICHARD JAQUES, Taranna.

Pte. ALBERT EDWARD M'KIVETT, Surry Hills (2nd occ.).

Pte. ERNEST ARNOLD PAINE, Paddington (2nd occ.)

Pte. JAMES WAGNER, Waverley.

Pte. JOS. FRANCIS WEST, Mayfield (prev. rep. ill).

Pte. ALBERT JOHN RIDDLE, Toowong, Q.

Pte. WM. NOAH BARLOW, England (2nd occ., prev. rep. ret. to duty).

Pte. JAS. FARRELL, no relatives (2nd occ.).

Pte. WALTER EDWARD HEATH, Wahroonga (2nd occ., prev. rep. ret. to duty).

Pte. FRANK ELWIN READ, Newtown (2nd occ., prev. rep. ret. to duty).

Pte. JOS. THOS. RODMAN, Paddington (2nd occ.).

Pte. ROBT. JOHN WILLIAMS, Redfern (2nd occ., prev. rep. ret. to duty).

Pte. LESTER CARL MURRAY, Newcastle (2nd occ.)

Pte. WM. EDW. FORREST, Penrith (sev.).

Pte. ARTHUR WM. REICHEL, Narrabri (sev.).

Pte. ERNEST GEO. ST. CLAIR FOSTER, New Zealand (sev.).

Pte. SIDNEY JAS. JOS. MARCAU, Hurstville.

Pte. PERCY CYRIL HINCKSMAN, Queanbeyan (sev.)

Pte. ARTHUR RICHARDSON, Alexandria (2nd occ., sev.).

Pte. WM. KNIGHT WILSON, Lower Mangrove.

Sgt. TREVOR MARSH MASSEY, Naremburn (sev.).

Pte. ARTHUR KEMBLA GREEN, Corrimal.

Pte. JOHN BERNARD PETERSON, Rozelle (2nd occ., gas).

Pte. FRANK PILLING, Erskineville (2nd occ., gas).

Pte. WALTER EDWARD BAYLIS, Mascot (2nd occ., gas; prev. rep. ret. to duty).

Pte. DAVID ARTHUR YOUNG, Rockdale (2nd occ., gas; prev. rep. ret. to duty).

Pte. EDW. PERCY WELLINGTON HINVEST, Marrickville.

Pte. MICHAEL ISADORE FOUTER, Nethercote.

Cpl. LEONARD MITCHELL, Bathurst (2nd occ., dang.).

Pte. GEO. DOUGLAS BERNARD POLLOCK, England (3rd occ.).

Pte. ARTHUR THOS. ADAMS, Cudgebegong Creek.

Pte. CHAS. EDW. ATKINSON, Newtown.

Pte. THOS. CHAS. BROUGH, England.

Pte. ROBT. FRANK ANDERSON, St. Peters (3rd oc.).

Cpl. FRANK GORDON DIBBLE, New Zealand (2nd occ.).

Pte. JOHN LINDSAY OGG, England (sev.).

Pte. WALTER HARRISON, Arncliffe (and missing, 3/10/17, p. r. wounded).

Pte. JAMES SUMNER, South Randwick (and missing, 4/10/17, p. r. wounded).

Pte. WALTER HENRY PLANT, Mungindi (and missing, 4/10/17, p. r. wounded).

A.-cpl. STANLEY JAMES PICKERING, Oatley (and missing, 4/10/17, p. r. wounded).

Pte. AMBROSE FRANCIS EDWARDS, North Dorrigo (and missing, 4/10/17, p. r. wounded).

Pte. FREDK. EDW. COMMONWEALTH CHURCH, Leichhardt (and miss., 4/10/17, p. r. wounded).

Pte. FREDK. LEWIS TOLLIS, Boomi (and missing, 3/10/17, p. r. wounded).

Pte. CHAS. WM. EVANS, England (and missing, 3/10/17, p. r. wounded).

Dvr. ABRAHAM THOS. GRABHAM, Dark Corner (prev. rep. ill).

Gnr. FREDK. WILLIAM BROWN, Chillagoe (Q.).

Pte. GEO. JOS. MARSHALL, Haberfield (3rd occ.).

Pte. WM. JAS. CASTLE, Wagga Wagga.

Pte. WM. HENRY ETCHELL, England (and miss., 7/10/17, p. r. wounded, 3rd occ.).

Pte. WM. SAM. GORICK, Guildford (and missing, 5/10/17, p. r. wounded, 2nd occ.).

Pte. JOHN WM. COLLESS, Mudgee (and missing, 4/10/17, p. r. wounded, 2nd occ.).

Pte. FRANK CHARTERS, Fredericktown (and missing, 4/10/17, p. r. wounded).

Spr. JOHN PARKER NEAGLE, Scotland (gas).

Spr. FRANK ANDERSON, Kensington.

Cpl. FRED. SYDNEY WATERS, Minmi.

Pte. GEO. ROBT. BROADBENT, Randwick (and rem. on duty).

Spr. PROSPERE RATTE, St. Leonards (gas).

T.-cpl. WALTER JAMES WILLIAMS, Inverell (sev.).

Dvr. ERNEST ABRAHAM JOHN HOOK, Boomi (and rem. at duty).

Dvr. WM. HENRY MORCAMBE, Bondi.

Gnr. ROBT. THOS. LAY, Bankstown.

Gnr. HENRY FORDYCE HYNE, Botany (shell shock).

Gnr. JOHN FRANCIS PHELAN, Surry Hills (gas).

Sgt. WM. MUSGROVE ATKINSON, England (gas).

Gnr. JOHN VINCENT CUNNINGHAM, England (gas).

Dvr. JOS. HAROLD SHAW, Ryde (sev.).

Gnr. GABRIEL KLEPPE, Sth. Melbourne, V. (2nd occ.).

Bombdr. FREDERICK NAPIER BROOME, Kensington (2nd occ.).

Gnr. MARTIN WATTS, Guildford (3rd occ., gas).

Cpl. GEORGE BUNBURY COOTE LEONARD (North Sydney).

Gnr. JAMES LOW TURNBULL, Kogarah.

Gnr. KEITH RICHARD HOGG, Marulan (gas).

Dvr. CLIVE MOUNTFORD LAYCOCK, Manly (rem. at duty).

Gnr. FREDERICK VINCENT COLEMAN, Chatswood (shell shock).

Gnr. JOHN TURNER, Marrickville (gas).

Gnr. WALTER BAKER, England (gas).

Gnr. THOS. IRWIN, N.Z. (gas).

Gnr. EDWIN BROOKS, Petersham (2nd occ., gas).

Gnr. CLEMENT HORACE HODGSON, England (gas, p. r. ill, 2nd occ.).

Pte. LOUIS EDGAR CHARLTON, Auburn.

Pte. LLOYD ALEXDR. CORLISS, Curlewis (and dang. ill).

L.-cpl. ALBERT JOHN PAWLEY, Gunnedah (3rd occ., sev., p. r. ret. to duty).

Dvr. JOSEPH HENRY THOMAS ARGAET, Koorawatha.

Dvr. JAMES CHESTER CRISP, Auburn.

Gnr. THOMAS BELCHER FERGUSON, Croydon (shell shock).

Gnr. LESLIE ALFRED ORCHARD, Rozelle (gas).

Gnr. THOMAS ROY CARGILL, Mongarlowe (2nd occ.).

Gnr. CHAS. DENNIS DUNN, Spring Hill, Qld. (2nd occ., p. r. ret. to duty).

Gnr. ARCHIBALD CHARLES HENDRIE, Ashfield (gas).

Dvr. RONALD DAVENPORT SAUNDERS, Thirlmere (gas).

Gnr. JOHN FITZSIMMON MEYNINK, Randwick (gas).

Dvr. ALFRED HUME McGOLDRICK, Pouchell Brook (gas).

Pte. RALSTON ALEXANDER DOWLING-BROWN, Richmond (and rem. at duty).

Pte. ARTHUR JAMES BAKER, Young (and rem. at duty).

Pte. FRANK CLAUDE KENNIFF, Liverpool.

Sgt. JOHN BAILEY, Hinton.

Pte. RICHARD WILLIS WALTON, Eden (dang.).

Pte. CONNIE HILARY DAY, Manilla.

Pte. JOHN MURPHIE, Glebe.

Pte. JAS. ROBT. DAVIS, Glebe.

ILL.

S.-nurse PEARL STELLA GOODMAN, Forest Reefs.

Lieut. CHRISTOPHER CROSBY HART, Randwick.

Lieut. CARLTON BURTON BRIMROSE, Ashfield (p. rep. wnd.).

Pte. CYRIL FRANCIS ST. CLAIRE SHINE, M'Mahon's Point (2nd occ.; prev. rep. ret. to duty).

Pte. THOMAS PANTLIN, Waterloo (ser.; prev. rep. wnd.).

Pte. FRANCIS HENRY MADDEN, Stroud.

Pte. WARBURTON EDWARDS, Surry Hills (2nd occ., ser.; prev. rep. ret. to duty).

Pte. WM. ALFRED GURNEY, St. Peters (prev. rep. wnd.; gas).

Dvr. JOHN WM. PADDISON, Manildra.

Pte. WILLIAM GEORGE HOOPER, Lidcombe (prev. rep. wnd., 2nd occ.).

Pte. ROLAND OSCAR BADGERY, Exeter (ser.).

Pte. JOHN HAROLD BURNS, Brisbane, Q.

Pte. JOHN WATTERS, Glebe (dang.).

P.-sgt. LUKE WRIGHT, Balmoral.

Pte. STANLEY GORDON DAVIES, Waratah.

Pte. ERNEST BALDWIN, Inverell.

Pte. GEO. ROBINSON, Cessnock (ser., prev. rep. wnd.)

Pte. JAMES MORRISON, Nth. Sydney.

Pte. JAS. HENRY DOUGLAS WIGGINGTON, Alexandria (prev. rep. wnd.).

Pte. ALFRED JAMES TAYLOR, Inverell (2nd occ., ser.).

Pte. WALTER THOMAS CARLISLE, Ultimo.

Pte. HERBERT THORNTON, Lambton.

Pte. WALTER GEORGE GREGORY JONES, Kurri Kurri.

Gnr. WM. ROY CULVERWELL, Willoughby.

Gnr. HAROLD ROPER, Warrnambool, V.

Pte. JUSTIN LITTLE, Killara (3rd occ., dang.; prev. rep. ret. to duty).

Spr. WM. SAMUEL VEALE, England (ser., 2nd occ.)

Spr. FREDK. BUSH, Leichhardt.

Sgt. EDW. FRANCIS ROGERS, Nth. Sydney.

Pte. JOHN LEO. AMBROSE BENNETT, Narrandera (ser., prev. rep. wnd.).

Pte. FREDERICK MORGAN, England.

Pte. PERCY SAMUEL BEESLEY, Glebe.

Pte. PATRICK JOS. BOURKE, Brisbane, Q. (2nd occ., prev. rep. ret. to duty).

A.-cpl. JOHN JOS. ROSS, Glen Innes (ser.).

Pte. WM. EDW. KEDWELL, Clarence Town.

Pte. UNNI WM. WOODWARD, Hurlstone Park (2nd occ., ser.).

Pte. GEO. EDW. NATHANIEL PORTER, Belmore.

Pte. THOS. FULTON WRIGHT, Rockley (prev. rep. wnd.).

Pte. JOHN ROCHFORD, Glebe Point (seriously).

Pte. JOHN WM. PARNELL, England.

Pte. LESLIE FRANCIS FLYNN, Grove, Q. (ser.).

Dvr. EDGAR GEO. JOS. TYLER, Leichhardt (prev. rep. wounded).

Pte. ANDREW ANDERSON, Inverell (2nd occas., prev. rep. ret. to duty).

Pte. ALBAN CARTER, Petersham.

Pte. HERBERT ALFRED WALKER, St. Peters (ser.).

Pte. EDW. JAMES WITHERS, Goulburn (prev. rep. wounded).

Gnr. SAMUEL JOHN BUTLER, Ashfield.

S.-sgt. WALTER ROBERT HOBBS, New Zealand (2nd occas., prev. rep. ret. to duty).

Gnr. GEORGE GORTON, Drummoyne.

Pte. WALTER WATSON, Boggabri (2nd occas.).

Pte. JAMES SEYMOUR NOREEN, U.S.A. (2nd occas.).

Pte. GEORGE BOOTH, Granville.

Pte. CECIL JAMES PEARSE, Manly (2nd occas., prev. rep. ret. to duty).

Pte. HUBERT MASON McDONALD, Warrill Creek.

Gnr. ERNEST BULLOCK, Botany (ser.).

Spr. ARTHUR DENDER, New Zealand (2nd occas., ser., prev. rep. ret. to duty).

Cpl. EDWIN MARK ANTHONY, Warren.

Pte. DAN NIXON, Kilkenny, S.A. (ser.).

Pte. LEONARD WILLIAM ATLER, Canley Vale.

Pte. CARL HUGO ANDERSON, Leichhardt (ser.).

Pte. JOHN EDW. EYLES, Granville.

Pte. HENRY ERNEST GEO. GORNALLE, North Sydney.

Pte. SILVESTER ANTHONY PHILP, Bellata.

Spr. STANLEY EDWARD BRIND, Muswellbrook.

Spr. JAMES JEFFRIES, Newtown.

INJURED.

Dvr. OLIVER MAURICE STEAD, Oatley, sev.

Pte. JOHN COLLINS, Waterloo (p. r. wded.).

Pte. ALWYN JAMES CARRUTHERS, Petersham.

Pte. WILLIAM FARLEY GLASS, Ashfield (p. r. w.).

Sgt. ANDREW DAVIDSON, Scotland.

Pte. ARTHUR ERNEST BOURNE, Hamilton, sev.

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LAW REPORT.

HIGH COURT.

(Before Mr. Justice Barton, Mr. Justice Isaacs, Mr. Justice Duffy, and Mr. Justice Rich.)

GEBHARDT v EY.

Mr. E. E. Cleland, K.C. (instructed by Mr. W. J. Denny, of South Australia) moved for special leave to appeal from the decision of the local court of appeal at Port Augusta, South Australia, in reversing the decision of the mining warden, in depriving Frederick Gebhardt of six claims, and allowing him to retain two, upon the allegations of Ernest George Ey, that the labour conditions had not been complied with. The appellant was the possessor of a miner's right, covering eight claims. For some four years the appellant had worked on the property. Then an information of forfeiture, on the ground of non-compliance with labour conditions, was lodged by Ey (the proposed respondent). An inquiry was held before the warden, who ordered six of the claims to be forfeited, and in respect to the other two, he gave a decision in favour of the appellant. The local court of appeal later took away the whole eight claims, and refused to state a case for the opinion of the Supreme Court. The value of the property was £6000.

After argument, special leave was granted, the Court stating that the constitutional question would have to be decided on the appeal.

MYERSON v COLLARD AND OTHERS.

Mr. Armstrong (instructed by Messrs. Harold T. Morgan and Morgan), moved for special leave to appeal from the decision of the Sydney Quarter Sessions on December 7 last in a matter of Federal jurisdiction. The proposed appellant was Emanuel Myerson, and the proposed respondents were Elizabeth Marion Collard, Annie Woolsley, and Edith Fisher. The point arose under the War Precautions Active Service Moratorium Regulations (No. 12). In the lower court, Myerson was prosecuted under this regulation, and in each case was fined £30 and costs, and ordered to pay the value of the furniture. He appealed against the decision to the Quarter Sessions Appeal Court, and the Judge ordered a reduction of the fines by half in each case. Against the decision of the court leave to appeal was now asked.

Mr. Armstrong said that Regulation 12 provided that "no person shall, under a bill of sale, writ of execution, or other process issued by the Court by way of distress, seize or take possession of furniture belonging to the female dependent of a member of the forces." Myerson was the landlord in the several cases, and he distrained by a bailiff in each case. The evidence was that he was not aware at any time that the property in question belonged to female dependents of soldiers, and that the tenancy was not in the names of the proposed respondents. Myerson had the right to distrain anything in the houses. The respondents did not come forward, and give evidence that the party charged knew that the persons owning the property seized were dependents of soldiers, and, further, that the property seized was her property. As a matter of fact, it was property held under the hire purchase system.

After argument, the Court granted special leave to appeal in each case, and ordered that the Commonwealth be made a party to the proceedings. Further, the Court ordered that the money in question be brought into Court.

LEAVE REFUSED.

An application for leave to appeal against the decision in the case against James Howard Catts was refused. The case is reported elsewhere.

(Before Mr. Justice Barton, Mr. Justice Isaacs, and Mr. Justice Rich.)

FLINT v BANNIGAN.

Mr. E. E. Cleland, K.C. (instructed by Messrs. Glynn, Parsons, M'Ewin, and Napier, of Adelaide), moved for special leave to appeal from the Supreme Court of South Australia from its decision on a special case stated by the President of the Industrial Court, the question being whether a driver employed by a firm selling hardware was to be paid the rate of wages determined by the Drivers' Wages Board or the Hardware Wages Board. Both boards were appointed under the provisions of the South Australian Factories Act, 1907. The charge laid by John Bannigan, Chief Inspector of Factories, in the Court below, against Thomas Flint, was that he had failed to pay the ruling rate of wage defined by the Drivers' Wages Board. The information was dismissed by the special magistrate. Bannigan appealed to the Industrial Court, which stated a case for the opinion of the Supreme Court, the answer to the question being against the employer. Against this decision Thomas Flint now appealed.

After argument the Court unanimously refused leave. Mr. Justice Barton said they saw no reason to quarrel with the conclusion of the Court. They did not discuss reasons.

GIBSON AND HOWES, LTD., v LENNON.

Mr. Stumm, K.C., and Mr. Wassell (instructed by Messrs. Morris and Fletcher, Brisbane agents for Messrs. Hamilton and Nielsen, Bundaberg, solicitors), appeared for the appellants, Gibson and Howes, Ltd.; Mr. T. J. Ryan and Mr. H. D. Macrossan (instructed by the Queensland Crown Solicitor), for the respondent, William Lennon, Minister for Agriculture and Stock, Queensland. This was an appeal from the judgment of the Queensland Full Court in a special case stated for the opinion of the Court, as to the liability of the defendants under the provisions of the Regulation of Sugar Cane Prices Act of 1915, to pay assessment of 2d per ton in respect to 21,193 tons sugar cane. The Full Court held the defendants were liable under the provisions of the Act, and that the defendants should pay the costs of the special case. Against this decision the defendants now appealed. *The question for decision was* the liability of a sugar mill proprietor to pay assessment on sugar cane, grown by him and crushed by him at his own mill.

The case stands part heard.

SUPREME COURT.

BANCO COURT.

(Before the Chief Justice and juries of four.)

A SALE OF SHEEP.

Grace v Bacon.

The hearing of this case, in which William George Grace sued Cedric Bacon to recover £500 damages for short delivery of sheep sold by the defendant to the plaintiff, was concluded. The plaintiff's case was that he purchased about 1500 Romney Marsh crossbred ewes from the defendant at 26/ a head, the purchase being made in September, 1916, and the delivery to be given on April 1, 1917. On the date of delivery only 748 sheep were there. The defendant pleaded that the sheep had died during the interval. The jury, after about three-quarters of an hour's retirement, returned a verdict for plaintiff, with damages £247.

Mr. Shand, K.C., and Mr. Hardwick, instructed by Messrs. Potts and Briscombe (of Narrabri, by their agents, Messrs. Weaver and Allworth), appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. Mocatta, instructed by Messrs. Avern and McIntyre, of Inverell (by their agent, Mr. M. A. H. Fitzhardinge), for the defendant.

LOSS OF A FINGER.

Smith v W. Barrett and Son, Limited.

Mr. Bromfield, instructed by Mr. Edgar H. Cohen, of Muswellbrook (by his agent, Mr. E. R. Cohen), appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. Garland, K.C., and Mr. Boyce, instructed by Messrs. R. G. D. Fitzgerald and Co., of Muswellbrook (by their agents, Messrs. Pigott and Stinson), for the defendant company. The plaintiff, Harold Joseph Smith, sued in this case to recover compensation for injuries sustained by him in the course of his work while he was in the employ of the defendant company. It appeared that he was employed on April 23 last on a moulding and planing machine on some pieces of wood about nine inches long. The wood "kicked," flew up, and the fingers of plaintiff's right hand were drawn into the knives, three of the fingers being cut off. For these injuries plaintiff claimed £1000. He charged negligence against the defendant company in the protection of the machine, also negligence in the management of the ways, works, and machinery. The defendant company pleaded not guilty, and claimed that plaintiff had contributed to the accident by his own conduct.

The case stands part heard.

NO. 1 JURY COURT.

(Before Mr. Justice Pring.)

COMMONWEALTH LAND RESUMPTION.

Bond v the Commonwealth of Australia.

Mr. Norman Pilcher, instructed by Mr. F. G. Clark, appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. Alec. Thomson, instructed by the Commonwealth Crown Solicitor, for the defendant Commonwealth. This was an action brought by Harriet Bond, to recover from the Commonwealth £668, as compensation for a piece of land resumed at Chatswood, for the purpose of a cottage for the caretaker of the rifle range. The Commonwealth pleaded that it had offered a sum equal to or exceeding the value of the land in question, and it appeared that the land adjoins the rifle range.

His Honor assessed the value of the land at £414/14/, and ordered the defendants to pay a quarter of the plaintiff's costs.

(Before Mr. Justice Pring and a jury of four.)

LOSS OF AN EYE.

Fitzpatrick v Anthony Hordern and Sons, Limited.

Mr. Watt, instructed by Messrs. Ash and Maclean, appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. Shand, K.C., and Mr. Alec. Thomson, instructed by Messrs. Norton, Smith, and Co., for the defendant company. This was an action brought by Cecil Bernard Fitzpatrick to recover compensation for injuries received in a machinery accident. He alleged that on May 30 last he was in the employ of the defendants at their joinery works at Redfern, and was operating a dowelling machine. A piece of wood was being put through the machine at the time, and it flew up with great violence, striking him in the right eye and destroying its sight. It was feared that the sight of the other might also be lost. Plaintiff claimed that there had been negligence on the part of the defendant company in not properly safeguarding the machinery, ways, and works, and claimed £2000. Defendants denied any negligence, also denied any necessity for further protecting the machinery, and put plaintiff to the proof of the negligence alleged by him.

The case stands part heard.

NO. 2 JURY COURT.

(Before Mr. Justice Sly and a jury of four.)

LAND RESUMPTION CASE.

The land resumption case Cameron and Sutherland v The Railway Commissioners of New South Wales still stands part heard.

IN EQUITY.

(Before Mr. Justice Street.)

CHIMNEY-SWEEP'S BEQUESTS.

Brown and another v Boussin and another.

Mr. E. W. Wickham, instructed by Mr. Drew, appeared for the plaintiffs, David Brown and William Dalton, trustees of the will and codicil of Leopold Janu, deceased, of Randwick, chimney-sweep. The defendants, Marie Boussin, Denis O'Haran, John Nicholas Morrissey, and Elizabeth Smith, were represented by Mr. T. P. Power, instructed by Messrs. Heydon and Heydon; and the other defendant, the Attorney-General, by Mr. F. J. Bethune, instructed by the Crown Solicitor.

The testator died on January 10, 1915, leaving an estate valued at about £3000. He was an Austrian by birth, but he had been naturalised in Australia as a British subject in 1879. His wife, a native of Switzerland, had predeceased him, leaving no issue. In an originating summons, the plaintiff trustees asked the Court for its interpretation of testator's devises. Among the questions for determination were:—(1) Whether the devises of certain real estate to the Little Sisters of the Poor, Randwick, were good and charitable bequests, and, if so, to whom the said estate ought to be transferred. Similar questions were asked with respect to devises to the Sacred Heart Church, Darlinghurst, to the Institution of St. Vincent's Home, Westmead, and to the Sisters of St. Joseph's Home for Orphan Children, Gore Hill, North Sydney.

In the case of the devise to the Sacred Heart it appeared, from affidavits filed, that the testator had disposed, on terms, of the estate devised during his lifetime, and that the balances due had since been paid. The question arose whether the sale of this land, following upon the provisions of the codicil, did not have the effect of adeeming this devise. As to the other three devises, the question was whether the devises were not, on legal construction, gifts to the devisees personally. A fifth piece of land, valued at £500, had not been disposed of by the testator, and also some personal estate.

After argument, his Honor directed that an inquiry should be made by the Master in Equity as to who, if any, were the next-of-kin.

(Before Mr. Justice Harvey.)

INJUNCTION CONTINUED.

Dwyer v King and Wallace.

Details of this suit appeared on Saturday. The matter relates to an alleged nuisance caused by defendants using a circular saw. By consent, the interim injunction granted on Friday was continued till to-morrow.

ADA REEVE AND HER HUSBAND.

Cotton v Cotton.

This suit between Adelaide Mary Cotton (professionally known as Miss Ada Reeve), and her husband, Wilfred Cotton, was continued. The plaintiff concluded her evidence, which lasted about six hours. The defendant is now giving his evidence, which will be continued to-day.

DIVORCE COURT.

COLLUMB v COLLUMB.

The hearing of the petition of Ernest Joseph Collumb for divorce from Grace Collumb (formerly Bradley), on the ground of desertion, was concluded. Decree nisi was granted, returnable in six months. Mr. F. Panker appeared for the petitioner.

BOREHAM v BOREHAM.

Florence Boreham (formerly Hardwick) petitioned for divorce from Edward George Boreham, on the grounds of misconduct and cruelty. The parties were married at Sydney on March 6, 1916, according to the rites of the Church of England. Mr. Fawl appeared for the petitioner. His Honor found the issue proved, but deferred pronouncement until the filing of an affidavit.

THORBURN v THORBURN.

James Thorburn petitioned for divorce from Isabel Thorburn (formerly M'Lean), on the ground of desertion by reason of non-compliance with an order for the restitution of conjugal rights. The parties were married at Balmain South, on December 11, 1915, according to the rites of the Presbyterian Church. A decree nisi was granted, returnable in six months. Mr. Fawl appeared for the petitioner.

DAVIES v DAVIES.

Isabella Bowie Davies (formerly Robertson) sought divorce from John Davies, on the ground of desertion. The parties were married at Wallsend on November 24, 1909, by the Registrar. A decree nisi was granted, returnable in six months. Mr. E. H. Gardner appeared for the petitioner.

PATTERSON v PATTERSON.

Theodore John Patterson petitioned for divorce from Regina Patterson (formerly Baxter), on the ground of misconduct. C. W. Simpson being joined as co-respondent. Petitioner and respondent were married at Lithgow on October 16, 1913, according to the rites of the Methodist Church. A decree nisi was granted, returnable in six months, co-respondent to pay costs. Mr. C. R. Penny appeared for the petitioner.

ADAMS v ADAMS.

Henry Clifford Adams sought divorce from Alma Florence Adams (formerly Hackett), on the ground of misconduct. The parties were married at Penrith on March 28, 1913, according to the rites to the Presbyterian Church. A decree nisi was granted, returnable in six months. Mr. Perry, instructed by Mr. R. W. Fraser, appeared for the petitioner.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

(Before the Registrar.)

HEARING OF CREDITORS' PETITIONS.

Re Percy Jessep; ex parte James Treacy. Mr. P. M. Sanders appeared for Percy Jessep, and Mr. Bender for the petitioning creditor. The petition was withdrawn.

Re Melville Gilman Witham; ex parte Thomas Booth. Messrs. P. B. Colquhoun and King appeared for the petitioning creditor. The petition was withdrawn.

Re Michael Meade; ex parte the Melbourne Co-operative Brewery Co., Ltd. Messrs. C. A. Coghlan and Co. appeared for the petitioning creditor. A sequestration order was made, and Mr. W. H. Palmer appointed official assignee.

Re Robert Smith; ex parte H. M'Kenzie, Ltd. Messrs. Dobbin and Spier appeared for the petitioning creditor. A sequestration order was made, and Mr. C. F. W. Lloyd appointed official assignee.

Re T. G. Jones; ex parte H. M'Kenzie, Ltd., and Ingham and Johnston. Messrs. Dobbin and Spier appeared for the petitioning creditors. Adjourned to 27th inst.

CERTIFICATE APPLICATIONS.

Re William Heury Wilson. The operation of the order of discharge was suspended for three months.

Re Louis Edward Davids. Adjourned to second Tuesday after vacation.

Re Henry Sylvester Fardy. Adjourned to second Tuesday after vacation.

SINGLE MEETING.

Re Archibald Ernest Thomson. The single meeting closed, and the public examination was concluded.

CREDITOR'S PETITION.

Re Lewis Henry Nathan, of Record-chambers, Castlereagh-street, Sydney, fine art dealer; ex parte Harry Brisbane Jamieson, of Carrington-street, Wynyard-square, Sydney, accountant. Petition to be heard on the 21st inst.

INDUSTRIAL COURT.

(Before Judge Rolin.)

Re Food Supply and Distribution, No. 1 Group, No. 1 (Cumberland Bakers) Board, Application by N.S.W. Baking Co., Ltd., for variation of starting time. Mr. Markell appeared for the applicants; Mr. Sullivan for the union to oppose. The application was refused.

Re Amalgamated Timber Workers' Union of Australia, N.S.W. Branch. Application for registration. Mr. Connington appeared for the applicant union; Mr. Walker (for Messrs. Braye and Cohen, Newcastle) for the Newcastle Timber Workers' Association; Mr. Cook for the City and Suburban Timber Merchants' Association; Mr. H. J. Gibbons for Messrs. Earp, Woodcock, and Beveridge and others. Judgment was reserved.

Re Wood and Coal Labourers' Union of New South Wales. Application for registration. Mr Connington appeared for the applicant union; Mr. Nichol for Messrs. Warburton and Son and others. Judgment was reserved.

(Before Judge Curlewis.)

Re Leather Trades Group, No. 1 (Boot and Shoe) State Board. Application by New South Wales branch of the Australian Boot Employees' Federation for variation. Mr. Cantor for the applicant union; Mr. Read (Messrs. Norton, Smith, and Co.) for the Boot, Shoe, and Slipper Manufacturers' Association. The application was dismissed.

Re Costume Makers (to order). Application by Amalgamated Journeymen Tailors' Association for a new award. Mr. Cantor appeared for the applicant union; Mr. Read (Messrs. Norton, Smith, and Co.) for the Master Retailers' Association; Mr. H. MacLauchlan for the Master Tailors' Association. The case stands part heard.

IN INDUSTRIAL CHAMBERS.

(Before Mr. Justice Heydon.)

INJUNCTION AGAINST MUSICIANS.

Mr. H. Fawl appeared for J. C. Williamson, Limited, and B. and J. Fuller, and moved on Saturday for an injunction restraining Alfred O'Brien, secretary of the Musicians' Union, and 11 other members of the union from continuing or aiding in a strike at the Theatre Royal or the Grand Opera House. It was stated that the Musicians' Union objected to the number of men employed in the orchestra. His Honor granted an injunction, but reserved leave to the respondent O'Brien to come in and move to set aside the writ.

DISTRICT COURT.

(Before Judge Docker and juries.)

MOTOR-'BUS AND TRAM.

Hales v Railway Commissioners.

William Hales, of Glenmore-road, Paddington, sued the Railway Commissioners for £150 for alleged negligence caused by the defendant's tram-car running into and damaging plaintiff's motor 'bus on August 27, at Oxford-street, Paddington. The defence was a denial of negligence, and contributory negligence on the part of the plaintiff. Mr. Milner Stephen, instructed by Messrs. Lambton and Milford, appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. Barton, instructed by the Solicitor for Railways, for the defendants.

The jury returned a verdict for the defendant.

(Before Judge Scholes.)

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION.

Leslie Bragg's Dependents.

This was an application, under the Workmen's Compensation Act of 1916, for arbitration as to the liability of Herbert Chippendall, of Barker-street, Kensington, horse trainer, to pay compensation to the dependents of Leslie Victor Bragg, whose death occurred while he was in the employ of the respondent. The applicant, Henry Bragg, of Dowling-street, Kensington, father of the deceased, represented the latter's dependents.

The case submitted by the applicant was that Leslie Victor Bragg was a jockey, apprenticed to the respondent, and that, while he was riding the horse Downcry in a race at Canterbury Park, on July 28 last, that horse, and others, fell. Leslie Bragg sustained injuries which caused his death three days later. It was alleged that his earnings for about three years were £3 a week, and that he left seven dependents; £500 compensation was claimed.

The respondent, Chippendall, admitted his liability, and paid into Court £350 on the 23rd ult., and £71 4s on the 13th inst. Respondent stated that Leslie Bragg had been paid by him £315 18s 6d from May, 1915, to the end of July, 1917.

His Honor fixed the amount of compensation at £421 4s, being the sum paid into Court. Mr. H. O'Reilly, instructed by Messrs. Collins and Mulholland, appeared for applicant, and Mr. Weigall, instructed by Messrs. Barry and Norris, for the respondent.

QUARTER SESSIONS.

(Before Judge Backhouse and juries.)

Mr. Herbert Harris, Crown Prosecutor.

Henry Moore and Harry Barrett pleaded not guilty to the theft of 8lb of beef, the property of the A.R.C., Ltd. They also pleaded not guilty to a second count of receiving. The jury returned a verdict of not guilty, and the accused were discharged. Mr. J. W. Abigail appeared for the accused.

Mary Smith pleaded not guilty to a charge of stealing goods the property of Anthony Hordern and Sons, Ltd. She was acquitted and discharged. Mr. E. R. Abigail appeared for the accused.

Bridget Grace Hill, who pleaded not guilty to a charge of having at St. Peters, on November 1, uttered a counterfeit coin knowing it to have been counterfeit, was acquitted. She was defended by Mr. Martin.

Cecil James Welch, 19½ years, who had been found guilty of receiving, was sentenced to six months' imprisonment, with permission to apply for release on license immediately if he could obtain work.

Walter Albert Hannan pleaded not guilty to a charge of stealing at Hurstville, on February 18, some tools, the property of George Welch. The jury returned a verdict of guilty, with a recommendation to mercy. He was sentenced to nine months' imprisonment with hard labour in the Long Bay Penitentiary, the sentence to be suspended on accused finding a surety of £40 to be of good behaviour for 12 months. Hannan was further charged with stealing other tools, and pleaded not guilty. He was bound over in the sum of £20 to come up for trial when called on. Mr. J. W. Abigail appeared for the accused.

LAW NOTICES.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 18.

HIGH COURT OF AUSTRALIA.

At the Darlinghurst Courthouse.—At 10.30 a.m.—Appeal: Gibson and Howes, Ltd., v Lennon (part heard).

Before his Honor Mr. Justice Barton.—At 10 a.m.—Ryan and another v Hughes (motion for contempt, etc.).

SUPREME COURT.

Cause List.—In Banco Court, St. James'-road.—At 10 a.m.—Smith v Barrett and Son, Ltd. (part heard). Notice to jurors: The jurors engaged in the above part heard case are required to attend at 10 a.m. to-day. The other jurors summoned to attend Banco Causes on Monday, 17th December, will not be required to attend till Wednesday, 19th December, at 10 a.m.

In No. 1 Jury Court, King-street.—At 10 a.m.—Fitzpatrick v Anthony Hordern and Sons, Ltd. (part heard). Notice to jurors: The jurors engaged in the above part heard case are required to attend at 10 a.m. to-day. The other jurors summoned to attend No. 1 Causes on Monday, 17th December, will not be required to attend further.

In No. 2 Jury Court, King-street.—At 10 a.m.—Cameron and another v The Railway Commissioners for New South Wales (part heard).

In Chambers.—Before Mr. Justice Ferguson.—In No. 2 Jury Court, King-street.—At 9.30 a.m.—Ex parte Robertson, re Purser and another (part heard). Before Mr. Justice Harvey.—In No. 2 Equity Court, Elizabeth-street.—At 10 a.m.—Applications under War Precautions Act, 1914-1916: Ex parte Kelly and another, re Hoy, to exercise power of sale, etc.; ex parte Tooheys, Limited, re Tolhurst, to exercise powers under mortgage and bill of sale.

Prothonotary's Office.—Before the Deputy Prothonotary.—King v King, at 10.30 a.m.; re Wall and another and Dalton Trustees, arbitration, at 10.45 a.m.; Beard, Watson, Ltd., v Dixon Trust, Ltd., at 11 a.m. Before the Chief Clerk.—Lucas v Lucas, Deering v Deering, at 10 a.m.; Moore v Tornaghi, at 10.30 a.m.; ex parte Strathdee, re Eaton, at 10.45 a.m.

In Divorce.—Before the Judge in Divorce.—In No. 4 Jury Court.—At 10 a.m.—Motions, etc. Not before 2 o'clock.—Cause list: Lindley v Lindley (Golovsky co-re.); Scheuer v Scheuer; Dempster v Dempster; Miller v Miller.

In Equity.—Before his Honor Mr. Justice Street.—No. 3 Jury Court.—At 10 a.m.—Re J. E. Wilson, decd., and T.F.M., etc., Act, motion for maintenance; Lawson v Lawson, originating summons; Fowler v Fowler, originating summons; Gardiner v Gale, originating summons; re W. Johnstone, decd., and Conveg. Act, petition for leave to sell; Illawarra Co-op. Central Dairy Co., Ltd., and Company's Act, petition for alteration of objects; re Warringah Property Co., Ltd., and Company's Act, petition to wind up company; re Carlos, Ltd., and Company's Act, motion for leave to file contract; re Australian Amicable Assurance Co., Ltd., and Company's Act, motion for leave to file memorandum. Before his Honor Mr. Justice Harvey.—Equity Court No. 2, Elizabeth-street.—At 10 a.m.—Cotton v Cotton, part heard.

Before the Master in Equity.—At 11 a.m.—Coote v McIntosh, to proceed on inquiries. Before the Deputy Registrar in Equity.—At 11 a.m.: Haviland v Dando, to tax costs; re T. Letheren, deceased, to tax two bills of costs. 2.15 p.m.: Dunlop v Hay, to tax two bills of costs. Before the Chief Clerk in Equity.—At 11 a.m.: Re T. Kite, deceased, to settle minutes of order.

Probate Jurisdiction.—Before the Registrar, P. Ambo.—To Tax Costs, 12.30. Before the First Clerk.—To Pass Accounts: At 10.30 a.m., A. Wanch; 11, T. Manwaring; 11.30, T. S. Brown; 12.15, T. C. Boyce; 12.30, Wong Sat; 12.15, J. Rutherford.

In Bankruptcy.—Before the Registrar.—At the Supreme Court Buildings, Elizabeth-street.—At 10 a.m.: Single Meeting: Charles Sidney Thorn. Public Examination: Rulopho Gonsalez. At 3 p.m., Re Harry Augustus Boys.—To settle minutes of order: Audit of accounts and plans.—Before the Chief Clerk at 10.30 a.m.: Re David Clayton Winchcombe Howell Price.—Taxation of costs.

DISTRICT COURT.

Before his Honor Judge Docker.—At 10 a.m.: Paris v Woods; O'Loghlan v Flemming.

Before his Honor Judge Scholes.—At 10 a.m.: Barraclough v Waters (part heard); Taylor v Abel and Co., Ltd.; Roberts v Abel and Co., Ltd.; Mulcahy v Anscombe; Pocklington v Jacobs. Note.—The lists will be called over punctually at 10 a.m.

Before the Registrar.—At 10.30 a.m.—Smidmore v Rose. At 10.45 a.m.—The Ocean Accident and Guarantee Corporation, Limited, v Johnson.

INDUSTRIAL ARBITRATION COURT.

No. 1 Court House, Queen's Square.—Before Mr. Justice Heydon.—At 10 a.m.—For Hearing.—Re Professional and Shopworkers Group No. 6 Board.—Application by Lysaght and Co., Ltd., for exemption.—At 2 p.m.—Re Tramway Wages Employees' Association.—Application for Registration.

No. 2 Court House.—Before his Honor Judge Rolin.—At 11 a.m.: Re Rural Workers.—Application by Australian Workers Union for Award.—Re Engine Drivers' Group No. 1 (Engine Drivers State) Board.—By Master Builders' Association, for variation of award.—Re Labourers No. 2 (Rockchoppers, etc., State) Board.—Appeal by Water Supply and Sewerage Board.

Old Equity Court Queen's Square.—Before his Honor Judge Curlewis.—At 10 a.m.: Re Costume Makers' (To Order).—Application by Amalgamated Journeyman Tailors' Association, for new award (part heard).

QUARTER SESSIONS.

George Davison, false pretences; William Jones, larceny; Joseph Hannon, conspiracy; Henry M'Mahon and William John Fletcher, robbery; Henry Pierce and James Thomas Pierce, attempting to break and enter a warehouse with intent to steal therein; Stanley Turnbull, embezzlement; Edwin Crescence Cooke, embezzlement.

HARDER THAN STEEL

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CHAPTER II.—Continued.

The wiry little foreman heaved a sigh of relief. "Well then, I'll put it bluntly. Mester Fanshawe is a rogue. Night ater night when the works are empty except for two night-watchmen, Mester Fanshawe is at work in the experiment house. It's never been his custom to work at night, for Mester Fanshawe is a well-known man of pleasure. But there's more than that. No accounts of what is being done in that building ever coom to Sir William. It was his rule to have reports of all experiments made to him. He never got one. When Sir William died, we had only just found this out, and his death stopped any further investigations. Mester Fanshawe sacked me at once. He never liked me at any time. Though I can't think that he suspects that Sir William and I were beginning to watch him."

"I don't quite see," Violet interrupted, "that there is anything to be alarmed about. Surely, if Mr. Fanshawe prefers to carry out experiments by night instead of daytime, there is nothing very strage in that."

"Ye haven't heard all, Miss," Winterbotham went on, "when Sir William was away on a holiday in Switzerland about two months before he died, a quantity of new machinery was put in the Experiment House. I saw some of t'parts, and they set me thinking, for I am accustomed to machinery, Miss, as you may suppose. Then, enormous quantities *of raw material*—the very finest Alfa grass, and bale after bale of high-priced linen rag—poured into the Experiment House. There has been hundreds of tons of material, and yet, nothing whatever has coom out. Now, I know for a fact, Miss, that there's operations going on on a large scale. Yet none of the men of the works ever go to the Experiment House at night. I've made myself certain of that. To work the machinery in there, and to do everything in a large way, there must be several hands. Mester Fanshawe, with all his knowledge, couldn't do anything by himself."

Violet was beginning to be a little impressed. The man's manner was in deadly earnest. She did not quite understand at what he was driving, but she began to be affected by him. The lateness of the hour, the stealthy urgency of his arrival, the constant recurrence of her uncle's name—that uncle to whom she owed her vast possessions—all had their influence upon her.

"Then you think, Mr. Winterbotham, that Mr. Fanshawe is conducting some secret operations, and is assisted by unknown people?"

"I'm sure of it, Miss."

"But how do the other people get there, then?"

"Same way as I coom t'ye to-night, Miss. By water. I've seen them."

Violet started. The plot was thickening.

"Aye, I've made it my business to watch, Miss. I can manage a boat with anyone on t'Mersey. I were brought up in the Docks. For several nights now I've been lying off our own wharf—just round the corner of your garden, Miss. There's generally one or two of the steamers lying there, and it has been easy to keep my dingy in the shadow. At half-past eleven every night, Miss, there's a little steam launch, painted invisible green, cooms up river from Birkenhead way. It cooms to the far end of our wharf, and five men get out and walk to the Experiment House close by. Mester Fanshawe lets them in. At three o'clock in the morning they go back."

Violet considered, sorting out facts from impressions, determining on a line of action with her quick business training.

"It amounts to this," she said, "that Mr. Fanshawe is conducting experiments in my works. Experiments which it is obvious he wants to shroud in profound secrecy. It certainly looks very queer, Mr. Winterbotham. . . ."

"Sir William thought it were worse than that, Miss," the little man interrupted.

"Well, if Mr. Fanshawe is doing anything underhand and against the interests of the firm, I can deal with Mr. Fanshawe, no doubt. But at *the same time*, his position here is practically absolute, and he may have a hundred reasons for wishing to keep his invention, or whatever it is, till the right time comes."

Winterbotham pursed his lips and shook his head. "You don't know Mester Fanshawe, Miss," he answered. "Mester Fanshawe keeps a racing stable at Aintree. He has one of the biggest houses in Birkenhead, and his dinner parties are famous. He has a couple of motor cars, he is up in London half the week—a man doesn't do that on a salary of three thousand a year, Miss. And it was common talk in Lancashire that he dropped ten thousand pounds over the Grand National of last year."

"Then you mean to imply?"

"I'll tell you what Sir William said to me, Miss. 'Winterbotham,' he says, 'I've been learning a lot about that damned scoundrel'—Sir William was an outspoken gentleman, and never cared to mince his words. Then he told me about Mester Fanshawe's goings on; I have only touched the fringe of them in what I've told you, Miss. There's no need to go into the whole story.

"'If I had known a few years ago what I know about that rascal now he would not be at the head of my works, Winterbotham. It is my belief,' he says, 'that Fanshawe is enriching himself *at my expense*. What he is at I don't know, but you and I'll find out. He is one of the cleverest chemists and milling engineers in Europe,' he said, 'and for what I shall be loth to lose him, though I believe that Mr. Gerald Boynton will be as good as him in a few years. Well, we will be as cunning as Mester Fanshawe!'" Those were almost the last words I heard Sir William say, Miss. The next morning when I coom to t' works there was my master dead in his sleep from heart disease."

"The simple solution is to keep on till we do find out," Violet answered.

"No time like the present, Miss, if I may make so bold," the little man replied. "Could you bring yourself to coom out into the works with me to-night? They are at it, I can swear to that."

Violet was absolutely without fear of any kind. She loved an adventure above all things. After all, she was mistress of her surroundings. There was no one to say her nay. She would commence her reign in helping to carry out her uncle's wishes.

"I believe you," Mr. Winterbotham," she said, "and I will go with you. Shall we knock at the door and make Mr. Fanshawe let us in. He will have to give an explanation if I demand one."

Winterbotham shook his head vigorously. "Nay, nay, Miss, that's not the way to go to work with a man like Mester Fanshawe. He might explain things to you easily enough. He'll not be unprovided with a story, and you won't be able to understand what's going on in there, even if he does conduct you round. On the other hand, if it's anything really big, as Sir William thought, there might be danger for you.'"

Violet laughed. "We're not on a desert island, Mr. Winterbotham," she said.

"You would talk differently if you knew as much as I do about Mr. Fanshawe in the first place, and industrial secrets in the second," the foreman said dryly. "No, Miss, you be guided by me. I've a better plan."

"And what is that?"

Winterbotham withdrew a bunch of keys from his pocket.

"There's a key to every door in the works here," he said, "except the key to the experiment house. The building is lighted from the roof, Miss, there are no windows in the walls at all. Clapped to the wall at one side—the side farthest away from the river—the steel fire-escape ladder still remains. At one time the building was a sorting house with several floors. That was before the windows were all blocked up to ensure privacy in experimental work."

"Yes?"

"We can get at this ladder quite easily, Miss, or at least I can. There's a hand rail, and no danger at all. I had no idea until this very day that the escape had not been removed. It's against the wall of the building, which is quite close to the main wall that encircles the works. There's only two or three yards between them. Consequently, no one ever goes there, and I don't suppose that Mr. Fanshawe has any idea that the thing exists. We can get up it quite easily, and it's long odds that we don't see something when we look down through the glass of the roof."

"Then let us go," Violet said eagerly. "We will get to the very heart of this affair if we can."

For the first time since their meeting the foreman smiled. "Eh," he said, relapsing into broader Lancashire, "ye favour your uncle. Thou are a gradely lass. I'll see that no harm comes to thee, Miss."

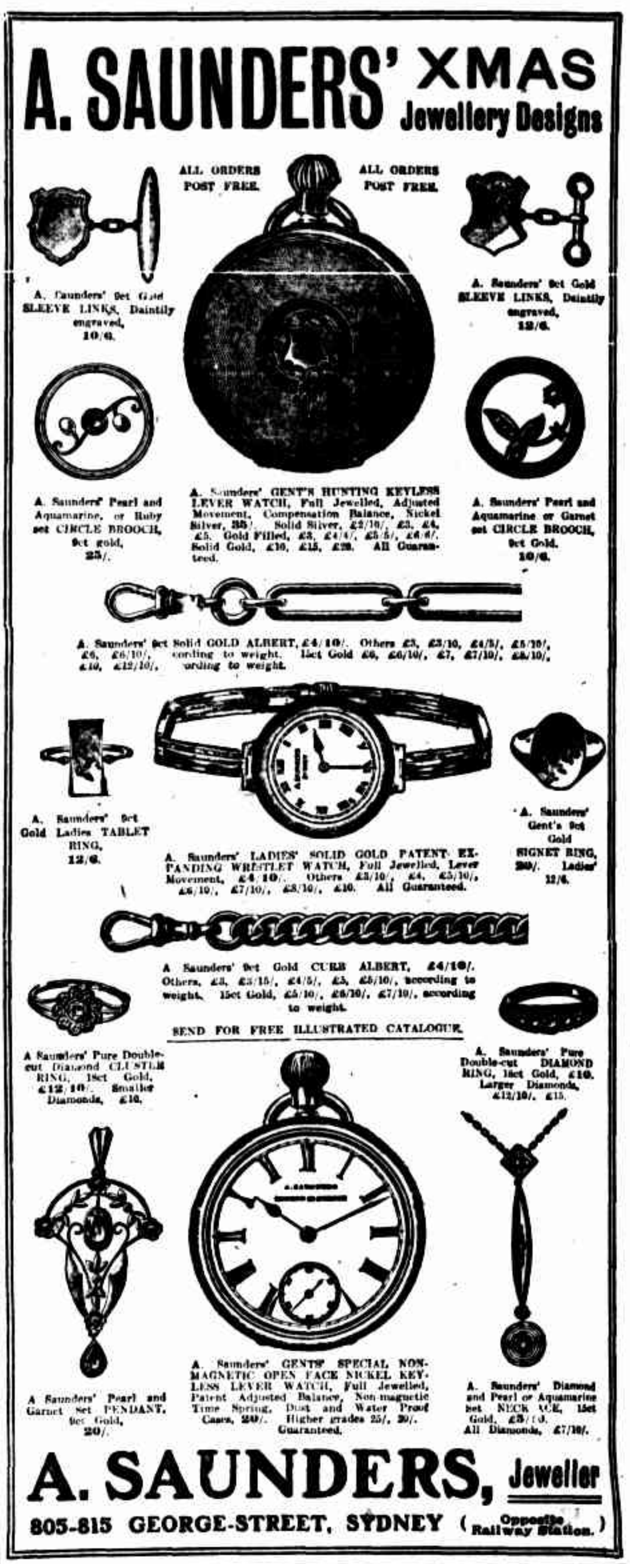
Violet smiled inwardly. The little man took an electric torch from one pocket and a short stick-like object terminating in a bulb at one end, from the other.

"That's cane bound round with leather, and the knob at the top is filled with lead. That's what I carry with me, Miss."

"Wait here till I come back," Violet said. She was away a couple of minutes, and when she returned was wearing tennis shoes with rubber soles, a dark blouse instead of a light one, and the tweed shooting hat she had worn coming over on board the steamer, when it was rough.

Then they went quietly out of the house through the front door, traversed the beautifully-laid-out garden and came to the door in the wall. Violet unlocked it with a little Yale key, and they stood in the works themselves.

(To be continued.)



FUNERALS.

ASPINALL.—The Relatives and Friends of Mr. and Mrs. ALFRED ASPINALL, Mr. and Mrs. EDWARD ASPINALL and FAMILY, are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their dearly-beloved MOTHER and their GRANDMOTHER, Sarah Aspinall; to move from the residence of Mrs. Carr, George-street, Parramatta, THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON, at 4 o'clock, for Western-road Cemetery, Parramatta.
WILLIAM METCALFE and CO.,
Tel., U55. Parramatta.

BASSETT.—The Funeral of the late Mr. JOHN HENRY BASSETT will take place THIS (Tuesday) MORNING, at 10 o'clock, in the Church of England Cemetery, Field of Mars.
WOOD, COFFILL, and COMPANY, LTD.

BASSET.—The Funeral of Mr. JOHN HENRY BASSET will leave Gladesville at 9 a.m. for Field of Mars Cemetery. His Friends are respectfully invited to attend.

BLACK.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. W. REED, and Mr. and Mrs. J. BLACK are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their dearly loved GRANDSON, Alan Albert Hector Black; to leave the Mortuary Station, THIS (Tuesday) MORNING, at 10 o'clock, for C. of E. Cemetery, Rookwood.

BLACK.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. LIONEL E. BLACK, of Petersham, Mr. and Mrs. HORACE BOWDEN, are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their dearly loved infant SON and NEPHEW, Alan Albert Hector; to leave the Mortuary Station, THIS (Tuesday) MORNING, at 10 o'clock, for C. of E. Cemetery, Rookwood.

BROWNE.—The Friends of Mrs. ELIZABETH BROWNE and FAMILY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of her beloved HUSBAND and their FATHER, John Willoughby Browne; to leave their residence, The Avenue, Rose Bay, THIS DAY, at 2.30 p.m., for Waverley Cemetery.
CHARLES KINSELA,
Tel., 8 Wav. Tea Gardens, Bondi Junction.

BRYANT.—The Friends of the late JOHANNA MARIA BRYANT are invited to attend her Funeral; to leave her late residence, Baltimore-street, Campsie, THIS (Tuesday) MORNING, at 9 o'clock, for Baptist Cemetery, Rookwood, via Burwood Station.
WOOD, COFFILL, and COMPANY, Ltd.

BULLOCH.—The Friends of the FAMILY of the late MARGARET BULLOCH are invited to attend her Funeral, to leave the residence of her Daughter, Mrs. Charles Smith, Weerona, Stephen-street, Randwick, TODAY, at 12.30 p.m., for Rookwood Cemetery.

CHANT.—The Relatives and Friends of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. CHANT and FAMILY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved INFANT DAUGHTER and SISTER, Eva; to leave their residence, Waratah, Moore-street, Leichhardt, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1.15 o'clock, for Church of England Cemetery, Rookwood, via Petersham Station.
WOOD, COFFILL, and COMPANY, Ltd.

CHANT.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. CHANT and FAMILY, of Strathfield, are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved GRANDDAUGHTER and NIECE, Eva; to leave Waratah, Moore-street, Leichhardt, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1.15 o'clock, for Church of England Cemetery, Rookwood.

CHANT.—The Friends of Mrs. MURNANE and FAMILY, of Surry Hills, are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved GRANDDAUGHTER and NIECE, Eva; to leave Waratah, Moore-street, Leichhardt, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1.15 o'clock, for Church of England Cemetery, Rookwood.
WOOD, COFFILL, and COMPANY, Ltd.

DAVIS.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. CARROLL are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved MOTHER, Margaret; to leave Army and Navy Hotel, 127 Bourke-street, East City, THIS TUESDAY, at 3 p.m., for Waverley Cemetery.
Mrs. P. KIRBY and SON, LTD.,
Funeral Directors,
7-9 Elizabeth-street,
Sydney.

DAVIS.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. PAYNE are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved MOTHER, Margaret Davis; to leave Army and Navy Hotel, 127 Bourke-street, East City, THIS TUESDAY, at 3 p.m., for Waverley Cemetery.
Mrs. P. KIRBY and SON, LTD.,
Funeral Directors,
7-9 Elizabeth-street,
Sydney.

DAVIS.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. PATRICK DAVIS are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved MOTHER, Margaret Davis; to leave The Army and Navy Hotel, 127 Bourke-street, East City, THIS TUESDAY, at 3 p.m., for Catholic Cemetery, Waverley.
Mrs. P. KIRBY and SON, Ltd.,
Funeral Directors,
7-9 Elizabeth-street,
Sydney.

DAVIS.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. JOHN DAVIS are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved MOTHER, Margaret Davis; to leave The Army and Navy Hotel, 127 Bourke-street, East City, THIS TUESDAY, at 3 p.m., for Waverley Cemetery.
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Sydney.

DAVIS.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. HINDS are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved MOTHER, Margaret Davis; to leave Army and Navy Hotel, 127 Bourke-street, East City, THIS TUESDAY, at 3 p.m. for Waverley Cemetery.
Mrs. P. KIRBY and SON, Ltd.,
Funeral Directors,
7-9 Elizabeth-street,
Sydney.

EVANS.—The Funeral of the late THOMAS E. EVANS, late of Rockhampton, will leave St. Vincent's Hospital, THIS TUESDAY, at 1 p.m., for Catholic Cemetery, Rookwood.
Mrs. P. KIRBY and SON, LTD.,
Funeral Directors,
7-9 Elizabeth-street,
Sydney.

FITZPATRICK.—The Friends of Mrs. and Mr. CUNNINGHAM, also ROSIE, PHOEBE, and IVY LOVE, are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved SISTER, Violet; to leave her late residence, Sea Murmur, Alfred-street, Kogarah, THIS DAY, TUESDAY.

FITZPATRICK.—The Relatives and Friends of Mr. A. FITZPATRICK and FAMILY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved WIFE and their MOTHER, Violet May; to leave her late residence, Seamurmur, Alfred-street, Kogarah, THIS TUESDAY, at 11.30 a.m., for Baptist Cemetery, Rookwood, via Newtown Station. Sydney friends please join funeral train leaving Mortuary Station at 1.55 p.m.
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FITZPATRICK.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. McDERMOTT and Mrs. STEPHENSON and FAMILY, and also PHOEBE JOSSOP are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved NIECE, Violet; to leave Sea Murmur, Alfred-st, Kogarah, THIS DAY, Tues.

GEARY.—The Friends of Mr. WILLIAM P. GEARY, Mr. THOMAS GEARY, Mr. PERCY GEARY, Mr. J. P. GEARY, Mr. and Mrs. L. DAVIS, Mr. and Mrs. M. MARCELLI, Mr. and Mrs. HENRY WOODBRIDGE, are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved MOTHER and AUNT, Johanna Geary; to leave her late residence, 8 Margaret-street, Petersham, THIS AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, for Catholic Cemetery, Waverley.
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HALE.—The Relatives and Friends of the late Mr. SAMUEL JOHN HALE are invited to attend his Funeral, to leave Maitai, Bridge-road, Drummoyne, THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON, at 1.30 o'clock, for Catholic Cemetery, Waverley.
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HAY.—The Funeral of the late JOSEPH GORDON HAY will take place in the Presbyterian Cemetery, Woronora, THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON, upon arrival of 2.5 p.m. funeral train from Central Station.
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HODGE.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. F. O. HODGE and PHYLLIS HODGE are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved SON and BROTHER, Frederick Ernest Henry; to leave 24 Boulevard, Petersham, THIS TUESDAY, at 1.15 p.m., for Independent Cemetery, Rookwood.
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HODGE.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. BRIESE, Mr. and Mrs. A. BROWNE, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. BARTON, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. NORRIS, are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved BROTHER, Frederick Ernest Hodge; to leave 24 Boulevard, Petersham, THIS TUESDAY, at 1.15, for Independent Cemetery, Rookwood.
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HODGE.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. LEVER, Syd. and Mrs. and Sgt. S. J. YOUNG, on active service, are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their NEPHEW and COUSIN, Frederick Ernest; to leave his parents' residence, 24 Boulevard, Petersham, at 1.30 THIS DAY, for Baptist Cemetery, Rookwood.

HUIE.—The Funeral of the late Mrs. J. Z. HUIE, of Raglan-street, Manly, and the late Miss M. HUIE will leave our Funeral Parlours, 92 Corso, Manly, THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, for the Manly Cemetery.
T. WAUGH and CO., Funeral Directors,
92 Corso, Manly. Tel., 42.

KIRWAN.—The Relatives and Friends of the late MARY KIRWAN are kindly invited to attend her Funeral; to leave St. Leonard's Catholic Church, Naremburn, THIS AFTERNOON, at 3.15 o'clock, for Catholic Cemetery, Gore Hill.
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LAXTON.—The Funeral of the late JESSIE CATHERINE LAXTON will leave Warwick, Roberts-avenue, Randwick, THIS TUESDAY, at 2.30 p.m., for Randwick General Cemetery, Long Bay-road.
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Funeral Director,
Belmore-road, Randwick.
Tel., 175 Randwick.

MAHON.—The Friends of Mrs. NORAH MAHON are invited to attend the Funeral of her late dearly-loved HUSBAND, Lewis; to leave his late residence, 43 Wells-street, Redfern, THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON, at 1 o'clock, for Catholic Cemetery, Rookwood.
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MAHON.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. C. K. ROGERS, Mr. and Mrs. P. McCABE, Mr. and Mrs. J. O'BRIEN, Mrs. M. GUIGAN, and Miss VENA O'BRIEN are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly-loved UNCLE, Lewis Mahon; to leave 43 Wells-street, Redfern, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1 o'clock, for Catholic Cemetery, Rookwood.

MAHON.—The Friends of Mr. THOMAS CLUNE are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved FRIEND, Lewis Mahon; to leave 43 Wells-street, Redfern, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1 o'clock, for Catholic Cemetery, Rookwood.

MAHON.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. BROWN and FAMILY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved FRIEND, Lewis Mahon; to leave 43 Wells-street, Redfern, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1 o'clock, for Catholic Cemetery, Rookwood.
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MAHON.—The members of St. Joseph's Branch, No. 42, H.A.C.B. Society, are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late Bro., LEWIS MAHON; to leave his residence, 43 Wells-street, Redfern, THIS DAY, TUESDAY, at 1 p.m., for Catholic Cemetery, Rookwood. D. HEALY, Pres.; J. SHANAHAN, Sec.

PAVY.—The Friends of the late Mrs. JANE PAVY, dearly loved wife of Mr. Frederick Pavy, of Western Australia, are kindly invited to attend her Funeral; to leave her daughter's residence, Delungra, Oakura-street, Rockdale, THIS DAY, TUESDAY, at 12.45, for Waverley Cemetery.

PAVY.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. CHARLES RUSSELL, of Rozelle, are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved MOTHER; to leave her daughter's residence, Delungra, Oakura-street, Rockdale, THIS DAY, at 12.45, for Waverley Cemetery.

FUNERALS.

PAVY.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. PERRY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved MOTHER; to leave their residence, Delungra, Oakura-street, Rockdale, THIS DAY, at 12.45, for Waverley Cemetery.
W. CARTER, Undertaker, Waverley.

PROVEST.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. ALAN PROVEST, of Brooklyn, Hawkesbury River, are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved SON, Eddie; to leave Royal North Shore Hospital, THIS (Tuesday) MORNING, at 11.45 o'clock, for Methodist Cemetery, Gore Hill.
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PROVEST.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. GIBBS, of Hornsby, are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved NEPHEW, Eddie Provest; to leave Royal North Shore Hospital, THIS (Tuesday) MORNING, at 11.45 o'clock, for Methodist Cemetery, Gore Hill.
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RUTHERFORD.—The Funeral of the late DOUGLAS RUTHERFORD will leave Charles Kinsela's Private Mortuary, 113 Oxford-street, city, THIS TUESDAY, at 2.30 p.m., for Waverley Cemetery.
CHARLES KINSELA,
Funeral Director.

TAYLOR.—The Relatives and Friends of Mrs. ANTHONY E. J. TAYLOR and FAMILY, of Drummoyne, are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of her late beloved HUSBAND and their FATHER; to leave his late residence, 111 Denison-street, Rozelle, THIS AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, for Catholic Cemetery, Field of Mars.
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TAYLOR.—The Friends of Mrs. ELIZABETH and the late ALBERT TAYLOR, of Bridge-street, Drummoyne, are invited to attend the Funeral of their second youngest SON, Anthony E. J. (Teddy); to leave his late residence, 111 Denison-street, Rozelle, THIS DAY (Tuesday), at 2 p.m., for R.C. Cemetery, Field of Mars.

TAYLOR.—The Friends of Mrs. and Mr. GEORGE SPEED, 5 Folding-street, Drummoyne, are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their BROTHER and BROTHER-IN-LAW, Anthony E. J. (Teddy) TAYLOR; to leave his late residence, 111 Denison-street, Rozelle, THIS DAY (Tuesday), at 2 p.m., for Roman Catholic Cemetery, Field of Mars.

TAYLOR.—The Friends of Mrs. and Mr. EDWARD MADDEN, Renwick-street, Drummoyne, are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their BROTHER and BROTHER-IN-LAW, Anthony E. J. (Teddy) Taylor; to leave his late residence, 111 Denison-street, Rozelle, THIS DAY (Tuesday), at 2 p.m., for Roman Catholic Cemetery, Field of Mars.

TAYLOR.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. JACK McGRATH are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late BROTHER and BROTHER-IN-LAW, Anthony E. J. (Teddy); to leave his late residence, 111 Denison-street, Rozelle, for the Roman Catholic Cemetery, Field of Mars, THIS DAY (Tuesday), at 2 p.m.

TAYLOR.—The Friends of Mr. ROBERT TAYLOR are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of his BROTHER, Anthony E. J. (Teddy), to leave his late residence, 111 Denison-street, Rozelle, for the Roman Catholic Cemetery, Field of Mars, THIS DAY, 2 p.m.

TAYLOR.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. ERNEST JAMES and Mrs. MANNING are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their BROTHER and BROTHER-IN-LAW, Anthony E. J. (Teddy); to leave his late residence, 111 Denison-street, Rozelle, for the Roman Catholic Cemetery, Field of Mars, THIS DAY (Tuesday), at 2 p.m.

TAYLOR.—The Friends of Mr. and F. TAYLOR are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their dearly beloved BROTHER and BROTHER-IN-LAW, Anthony E. J. (Teddy) Taylor; to leave his late residence, 111 Denison-street, Rozelle, for the Roman Catholic Cemetery, Field of Mars, THIS DAY, at 2 p.m.

TAYLOR.—The Relatives and Friends of Mrs. ALFRED TAYLOR and FAMILY, of Drummoyne, are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of her late beloved SON and their BROTHER, Anthony; to leave 111 Denison-street, Rozelle, THIS AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, for Catholic Cemetery, Field of Mars.

TAYLOR.—The Relatives and Friends of Mr. and Mrs. ALEXANDER SEYMOUR are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved SON-IN-LAW, Anthony Taylor, to leave their residence, 111 Denison-street, Rozelle, THIS AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, for Catholic Cemetery, Field of Mars.
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TAYLOR.—The Friends of the late Mrs. CLARA LILY TAYLOR (nee Mosely) are kindly invited to attend her Funeral, to leave the Burton-street Baptist Church at 10 a.m. THIS DAY for the Randwick General Cemetery, Coogee.

TAYLOR.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. TICKLE and FAMILY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved FRIEND, Mrs. Clara Lily Taylor; to leave the Burton-street Baptist Church, at 10 a.m. THIS DAY for Randwick General Cemetery.

TRELFORD.—The Friends of the late Mr. EDWARD TRELFORD (late of Miomi) are kindly invited to attend his Funeral; to move from W. N. Bull's Private Mortuary, Newtown, THIS DAY, at 1.30 p.m., for Rookwood Cemetery. Funeral train leaves Mortuary Station, Regent-street, city, at 1.55 p.m.
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DIAMOND Pendant and Diamond Earrings, cheap. Kia Ora, Vicar-st, Coogee.

FOR Sale, 2 Copper Lamps, complete, on stands. Apply before 10 o'clock, Hilliers' Cafe, Pitt-street, city.

GAS Stove, New Century, Eureka, 607, enamelled, new, bargain. 93 Buckingham-st, city.

DROPHEAD Machine, latest, 7 drawers, never used, Singer's, £6. 93 Buckingham-st, city.

FOR Sale, good Combination Chest of Drawers, cheap. Apply Claremont, 124 Edith-st, Leichhardt.

FOR sale, Eureka Gas Stove, 41o, £6/5/; a snap. 16 Oxford-st, Woollahra.

FOR Sale, 2-h.p. Steam Boiler, £10. £1 deposit, 5/ wkly. 108 Waverley-rd, Woollahra.

EUREKA, Main, Bonjour, Raleigh Gas Stoves, cheap. Hoadley, 618 Bourke-st, near Cleveland-st.

RALEIGH Gas Stove, latest, small size, 6 weeks used. Genuine. Mayne, 117 Liverpool-st.

EMBERG Building Boards, 15 sheets, 7ft x 4ft, new. 8 Glebe-st, off Ocean-st, nr. Edgecliff P.O.

SELLING Cheap.—3 lovely Bedroom Suites, 3 Dining Suites, Piano, Gas Stove, good assortment clean Furniture. WOOLLEY, Removalist, Broadway.

FOR Sale, Barber's Chair, Victory, first-class order, cheap. Apply Mack, 280 Elizabeth-street, city.

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FLY DOOR Frame, 7ft 4in x 3ft 2½in; also lg. Cane Phonograph Horn, Basket, and Motor Car Hood Frame. Apply after 2 any afternoon. 28 Allen's-avenue, Petersham.

PRAM., good condition, rubber tyred, hood, also Gas Griller, Ring, and Tubing, £1 the lot.
DEVON, Forest-road, Arncliffe.

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FOR Sale, 2 Stretchers and a large Pram. 88 Meeks-rd, Marrickville.

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GENT.'S Silver Keyless Chronograph Watch, by Stewart Dawson, cost £10, pawned for £2, hardly used, sell ticket 12/. To Widow, Balmain P.O.

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TWO Combinations, 2 Washstands and Sets, 1 Bedstead, Kapok Bedding, Carpet Square, Black and White Cot, also single Bedsteads and s.-hand Wire, almost new; no dealers. 16 Lombard-st, Glebe.

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OAK Bedroom Suites, £7/12/6; Double, £10/15/; Ext. D. Table, £4; Sideboards, £2/15/; New K. Tables, 7/6. Everything cheap at Manuel's, 81 Geo.-st W.

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FOR SALE, 40 Sheets of GALVANISED IRON. 40 Botany-st, Waterloo.

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GRAMOPHONE, 3 doz. double-side Records, for Sale, first-class order. 87 Cavendish-st, Stanmore.

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LADY'S magnificent Diamond Ring, 5 pure stones, pawned £3 5s, ticket 7s 6d. M., Revesby P.O.

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OAK Bed Suite, large, £9; also Sideboard, Gent. Must sell. 113 Leichhardt-st, Wav., or Bronte tram, near Bronte Pictures.

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TWO Dinner Waggons, light and dark Oak, 4 x 4 Round Oak Table, £3/5/; Square Oak Ocean Table, £2/10/; 6 x 3.6 Db. top-polished Maple D. Table, £3/15/; etc. Brodribb, Haymarket.

SET Oak Book Shelves, Gent.'s Clothes Press, a well-made article, only £4/10/. 772 George-st, Hkt.

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GAS STOVE, Metters', No. 501, used month, £4; delivered, guar., bargain. 113 Nelson-st, An'dale.

FOR SALE, Oak Bedroom Suite and medium Sideboard, oval mirrors, a barg. 81 Green's-rd, Pad'ton.

HANNAM'S large-size Bath-heater, nearly new, chp. After 6, 7 Arthur-st South, Lavender Bay.

ZEISS, Ross, Goerz, Lemaire, and other Field Glasses. H. Bruhers, 19 Pitt-st, Circular Quay.

FIFTY BALES (300 each), Chapman Brushed Sugar Sacks. Jno. Galpine, 444 Sussex-st.

COLLAPSIBLE PERAMBULATOR, £1. Walden, Llewellyn-st, Rhodes.

RIMLESS Eyeglasses, 12/6, Sight tested free. W. E. Toose, Optician, Culwulla-ch., 67 C'reagh-st, Syd.

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GRAMOPHONE, upright cabinet, finest mechanism, and newest records, £17/15/. Cabinet, Herald.

METTERS' Double-oven GAS STOVE for Sale, nearly new, cheap. Fitch, Milton, Robinson-st, Croydon.

SHOWMEN.—For Sale, big-money Novelty, ready for road, £25 cash. 3103, Herald.

SINGER LATEST DROPHEAD, cost £17, sell £7 10s.
PINNOCK, 28 Q. V. Markets,
Three doors from Druitt-street.

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ON THE LAND.

WHEAT COMPETITION.

(BY H. M. SOMER.)

We travelled by Bogan Gate from Condobolin to Forbes, and saw a great deal of land under wheat by the way, though we had no crops to judge in the vicinity of Bogan Gate. Here the wheat was standing up pretty well, and, though the crops were not heavy, there was a prospect of a good average yield. Some we saw should go about eight bags, while others might be as low as four bags to the acre. Forbes district was disappointing. There were several entries grouped round about the town, the furthest out being some nine miles, but we did not see a good competition crop in the district. On this trip we saw some wretched examples of that most deplorable of all settlement systems, share-farming. It has been the custom to hold up the operations on Iandra and one or two other places, whose owners provided for fertiliser and some fallow and decent cultivation in their agreements with the share farmers as evidence that the system was good. The general results, however, show that this boosting of the share system is only another example of the unreliability of individual examples applied to a general case. If one travelled the wheat districts of N.S.W. from end to end one might with luck find a score of farmers settled on their own places who began as shares men. On the other side of the question he would see hundreds of unfortunate people living under the most miserable conditions, and working from daylight to dark during a greater part of the year to knock out half a crop.

Money has been made by share farming, but not by the share farmer. In almost every case the shares man cultivates in the roughest possible fashion, because it is obvious that he would not be justified in going in for a thorough system. He usually has no steading of any kind, because to put up stables and sheds for his machinery would be building on another mans' land without any right of ownership in his own improvements. He frys in the summer in a small iron house of a couple of rooms or so, and freezes in the winter, rarely has milk in his tea, and gets some butter as a luxury, in which class also comes fresh meat. We had a number of share crops in this competition, but only one had a possible chance of getting into the front rank. We also met but one old share-farmer who had a good place of his own. He was Mr. R. E. Trengore, of Greenbank, Kooravatha. Mr. Trengore did remarkably well on Iandra as a shares farmer, and he is now a good cultivator and a thorough careful farmer. We saw the best crops on his place that we had struck in a day's run.

Most of the crops about Forbes were withdrawn. The crops round this district will yield fairly well, as, of course, a crop may be a little dirty, and a good deal injured by the weather, and yet give a payable return. From Forbes we passed through Eugowra over some very nice country, and saw some very nice country by the way to Canowindra. Undoubtedly Canowindra would have had a chance of scoring in the competition, but the season was altogether too wet for the rich hills and flats about this fine part of New South Wales. There was a tremendous lot of undergrowth in the crops even on the best cultivated places; also the storms had knocked the wheat about, and a lot of black oats had come through at the last moment, after probably lying dormant for many years. One would think that the most ancient hide-bound oat germ in the country would soften its heart in such seasons as this, and the last of the old wild oats would grow. Possibly, however, there will still be some tough ones in the soil, then of course there will be a new crop to go on with next spring. Out of about 19 crops entered around Canowindra only half a dozen were judged.

We went to Grenfell from Canowindra. This district produces a lot of wheat, but the crops this year do not look very promising. One very good one we saw was not in the competition, and we passed many which looked like very poor yielders. Mr. F. Adams, a share farmer on Iandra, had a nice crop of Marquis in the competition; the straw was bright, and the crop a nice colour, but there was a good deal of rust. This crop was sown on March 27, and was not ripe last week, so that the variety appeared to be somewhat late for the district. The Cowra district looked remarkably well, but we did not see very much wheat there. The judge inspected the crop of Mr. R. Thompson, and found it well-grown, but, like many others, it had suffered from too much moisture. One of the most interesting farms we saw was that of Mr. R. H. Thackeray, 10 miles from Young. Mr. Thackeray's place, Wootoona, is very well known. In fact, it is regarded as a star farm in that part of the country. Notwithstanding hail and rain, there were some good crops on the place, especially the oats. We saw a lot of good oats round this part of the country, and Mr. Thackeray remarked that he though it would be a better policy for the farmers to raise a larger proportion of oats and reduce their wheat areas.

THE SHEEP-FLY.

Mr. W. E. Ogilvie, Keytah, Moree, writes regarding the simple single-tin form of fly-destroying trap.—We have here 18 of this simple form of trap, which is recommended by the New South Wales Fly Experiment Station, but has been discarded by the Queensland Department of Agriculture, the latter's contention being that the bait in these traps becomes blown and the maggots crawl up the sides of the trap and escape to the ground where they mature into flies. Besides this it is said there is no practicable method of destroying the flies when emptying the trap, except by fire, which is dangerous in dry weather in bush paddocks. My overseer, Mr. Charles Graham, got over both difficulties by using arsenic-water—about a pint to each trap. It has been proved that, if the bait is washed by, or lying in, water impregnated with arsenic, the flies will not be attracted by it. To get over this difficulty Mr. Graham arranges that only a portion of the bait is immersed in the poisoned water, the remainder being raised high enough in the trap to decompose and smell. You can raise the bait by using meat with a bone in it, or by placing the bait on a stone in the trap. The flies then blow the bait and the maggots go—as is their custom—down towards the ground; they fall into the arsenic-water and die; so do also the flies, ultimately. If the trap is in an ant-infested place, hang it on the branch of a tree and don't bother to poison—the ants will eat the maggots as they fall. When you empty your trap most of the flies are dead. The live ones you can kill by burning a flare of paper inside the trap before opening it. We have been lamb-marking here, and we marked over 4000 lambs, in lots of 1000 each, leaving a few days between each lot so as to have ample opportunity to supervise the fly trouble. Up to the present date (December 17) it is a remarkable fact that we have found hardly any blown lambs, while at this time last year the flies killed hundreds, in spite of repeated yardings and dressings. I really think the traps have partially solved the fly trouble.

FRUITGROWING.

At a special meeting on Friday, after an address by Mr. Crowther, the organising secretary of the Fruitgrowers' Association of New South Wales, it was decided unanimously by the Gosford and Brisbane Water Fruitgrowers' Association to become a branch of the Fruitgrowers' Association of New South Wales, and elect delegates to attend its adjourned conference on January 5 next.

HAY IRRIGATION AREA.

The manager of the Hay Irrigation Area, in his report, states that during October there was a slight decrease in the number of cows milked on the area, the total for the month being 333. The whole of the milk required for the town of Hay is supplied from the area, and, with the exception of a few cows milked for family use, the whole of the cream is supplied to the local butter factory. Although the season has been an exceptionally good one, the wheat and oat crops taken on a whole have not been equal to other years. Owing to the cool weather experienced during the month, the paspalum, lucerne, and Rhodes grass made little growth. Plots of tall fescue and phalaris bulbosa grass showed exceptionally well. Where the land is suitable it is considered settlers can extend the growth of both these grasses with assured results, if a little care be taken in the preparation of the land before sowing.

BROOM MILLET.

RAYMOND TERRACE.—The broom millet crop will this year be a failure, principally owing to too much wet and inability to work the crop to free it from weeds. A high price is anticipated.

DAIRYING.

BYRON BAY.—The North Coast Co-operative Company's, Limited, Byron Bay, turnover for last 12 months is a record, amounting to £1,235,000 sterling. During the half-year some 4,939,846lb, or 2205 tons, of butter were manufactured, but 2926 tons were made in the same period in 1916; but the previous part of the present year more than balanced that. The average price paid was 16.74d per lb. Suppliers will be credited this year with £27,250 3s 3d from export business. This will be paid out to them in cash at the rate of 1½d per lb, which applies to all exported butter belonging to the company for the last six months. The number of pigs sent through was 14,653, and the average price paid for A1 pork was 6.44d per lb. The profit and loss account, after paying £27,250 3s 3d, left a balance of £14,581 15s 7d, which has been allocated as follows:—Dividends at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum on all paid-up capital, £2109; general reserve account, £3700; marine insurance, £1425 2s 3d; export reserve, £1650; depreciation account, £3000; balance carried forward being £2699 13s 7d.

RAYMOND TERRACE.—Raymond Terrace Dairy Company manufactured 111 tons of butter and cheese during November. The output of butter for the half-year ended October 31 was 158 tons, and for cheese 126 tons. The average net price paid suppliers for butter was 15d per lb, and for milk for cheesemaking 9½d per gallon. The output of butter and cheese realised £42,577.

NEW SEASON'S WHEAT.

SINGLETON.—At the quarterly meeting of the district council of the Primary Producers' Union, Upper Hunter branch, held in Singleton, Mr. H. A. Swinney (Ravensworth) moved that it be a recommendation from the central executive to the Wheat Control Board that no new season's wheat be milled in Australia. The motion was carried.

SHEEP-FLY BAD.

ARMIDALE.—The stock inspector reports that the blowfly pest is very bad, especially with the woolly sheep and amongst the shorn sheep where any cuts had occurred.

THE TEACHERS.

ANNUAL CONFERENCE.

The twenty-fourth annual conference of the New South Wales Public School Teachers' Association was opened in the Town Hall yesterday morning.

The president, Mr. T. T. Roberts, M.A., of the Teachers' College, in the course of his address said that the association's metropolitan and 73 country branches totalled this year some 2650 members. Out of from six to seven thousand teachers this would appear a not unduly large percentage. The worth of an association did not depend solely upon the extent of its membership roll. Referring to the question of salaries, he said that the State had acknowledged again and again the inadequacy of such salaries. Mr. James (Minister for Education) was now doing what so many had promised and failed. He would suggest to Mr. James that in his desire to raise the minimum salary of the teacher to £156 he should take into account the outstanding necessity of raising the salaries of classified teachers in the middle and higher ranks, accordingly. They had always combined with the request for a living minimum salary a corresponding improvement in the salaries of those who were classified teachers in skill and attainments.

Mr. James (Minister for Education) said that in regard to the question of salaries the demand had been going on for years and years, and it had culminated now. It was years ago that this agitation should have had effect. The other day he had received a resolution from some teachers, pointing out that the cost of living had gone up 33⅓ per cent., but he could not raise their salaries in that proportion. (Laughter.) The teachers had some very good friends in the Cabinet, but the whole of the difficulty was the question of finance. The recent industrial trouble cost the country a large sum of money. He had asked the Treasury, instead of paying £20,000 into the Public Works Fund for building purposes, to allow him to have that sum to be devoted to allowances to married teachers with children. With reference to the training of their teachers, scholarly ability alone did not make a good teacher. He must have the training, and must also have the gift of teaching. He proposed to hurry on the building of the teachers' college. He was quite satisfied that the Public Service Board was not the proper place for appeal by teachers. The board has many useful functions, but he was of the opinion that the teachers should have an independent appeal board. Referring to the allegations of "cramming" students of the high schools, Mr. James said it might be pointed out that it was not obligatory for any student to complete the course in four years. The department had, for some time been urging parents to permit their children to spend five years in the high schools, the first three of which would be devoted to preparation for the intermediate, bursaries, tenable in secondary schools. The minimum requirements at any examination represented the standards expected of the weak candidate, while the possibilities were designed to indicate the brilliant boy or girl. He would like to make reference to the political position of teachers. During the last few months he had been receiving continued complaints with reference to certain teachers. Teachers had the same civil rights as any other member of the community, and as long as they kept within the ordinary bounds of citizenship he (the Minister) had no right to deal with them. He would, however, ask them to keep up the dignity of the profession and the department by the way they behaved outside. If statements were made of a disloyal character in school or out of school he would, of course, deal with them.

Mr. Roberts moved and Mr. Bermon seconded the following motion, which was carried unanimously:—"That this conference of Public school teachers of all ranks, assembled in the Town Hall, Sydney, record an expression of their unswerving loyalty to the Empire, and their faith in the righteousness of the cause actuating Great Britain and her Allies in their fight for truth and right, and register their determination, individually and collectively, to do everything calculated to ensure victory, and an abiding peace, and to exercise their full powers as the teachers in the community by inculcating into the minds of the rising generation lessons of honour and justice, and a true and lasting recognition of the obligations of posterity to those who today have sacrificed themselves in the cause of freedom."

THE TRAINING OF CITIZENS.

Mr. P. Board, M.A., C.M.G., Director of Education, delivered an address on the training of citizens. He said he did hope that when the war was over they would be able to get more money to put into the schools. He felt certain that very much of the tendency among their young men to become victims of mass thinking was due to the fact that they had not accustomed them sufficiently to standing on their own individual feet. Had they not seen during this past year young men acting in a mass without any sense of responsibility for national weal because they were only accustomed to thinking as a mass? There were too few individuals among them prepared to assert their individuality. It was that power which they wanted to get on the part of the individual to think individually, irrespective of whether his individual thinking was that of the mass or not. A man became a far better citizen leader when he was credited with a judicial mind, rather than if he was credited with a mind only able to see one side of the question. If there was one thing more than another that he thought the community would value in its teachers when it looked for leadership it would be to find that they had that quality of the judicial mind.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The afternoon session was held in the Central Methodist Mission Hall. Executive reports and matters in reference to the constitution were considered.

Mr. Edward Henny, on behalf of the executive, submitted a report with reference to the proposal that far western schools should open and close early. He said that all these schools had been communicated with, and about half were in favour of the proposal put forward, and the other half did not approve of it.

It was decided that it be left to each school to take whatever steps it thought advisable in the direction of early closing in the interests of the school children and parents. The conference further resolved that the Minister be asked to give favourable consideration to any application which might be made on the subject.

The council's proposal for the formation of a platform of the association was adopted, with the exception of clause 5. The following clause, after considerable discussion, was inserted in its stead:—"Failing to obtain an independent board of appeal, a referendum be taken at an early date of all the teachers of the association on the question of registration under the Arbitration Amendment Act."

Other clauses of the platform include the following:—"Equal pay for equal work, except in the cases of married men and widows with children;" The continual affirmation of the necessity for greater effort in training children in the true principles of citizenship, thus strengthening the national life of Australia as an integral portion of the Empire;" "The establishment of an independent board of appeal;" "The advocacy of the raising of the adult minimum salary to £156 for unclassified teachers;" "The advocacy of the raising of the minimum salary of the head master of the higher grade of a first-class school to £600."

The conference adjourned till 9.30 o'clock this morning.

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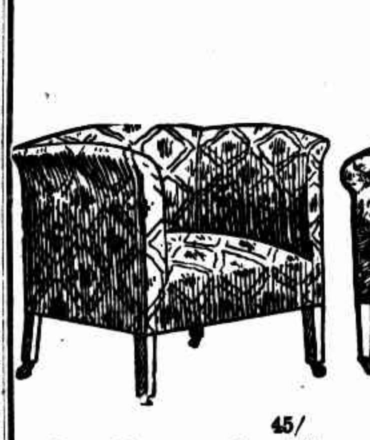

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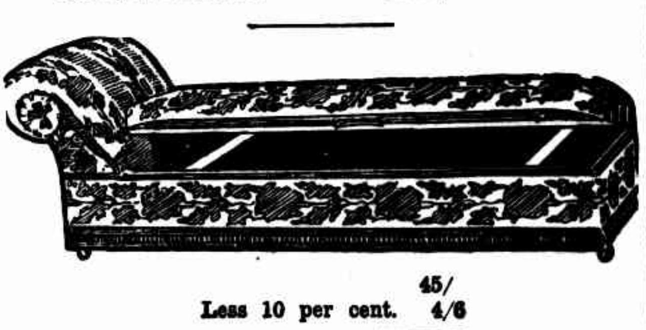

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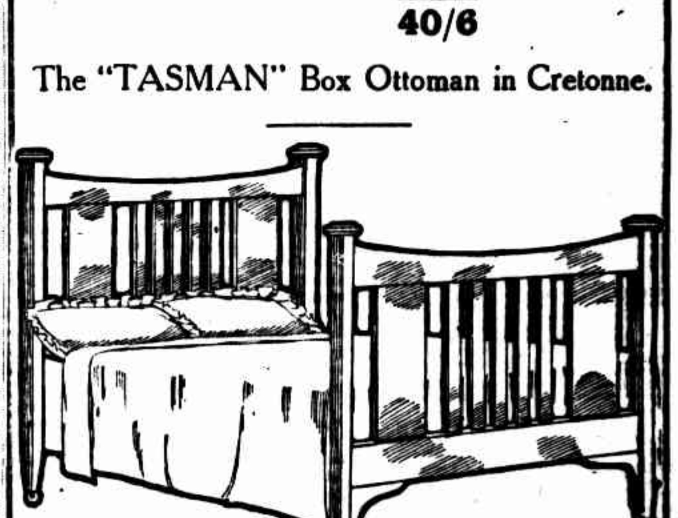

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MARRIAGES.

BYRNE—RUSSELL.—November 1, D. J. Byrne, of Waverley, to Mabel R. J. Russell, of West Maitland.

SHEPPARD—HASKOLL.—December 14, 1917, at Registrar's, Waverley, N.S.W., Charles Sheppard to Mrs. Haskoll, widow of the late Theodore Haskoll, of Crofton Park, London, and daughter of the late Matthew Nugent, Esq., of Camberwell, England.

DEATHS.

ALLMAN.—December 15, at North Sydney, John Barnes, third son of the late John Allman, formerly of Goulburn.

ASPINALL.—December 17, 1917, at George-street, Parramatta, Sarah, dearly beloved wife of the late John George Aspinall, aged 74 years.

BLACK.—December 16, 1917, Alan Albert Hector, youngest son of Mr and Mrs Lionel E. Black, of Petersham, at Manly Cottage Hospital, aged 13 months.

BROWNE.—December 16, 1917, at his residence, Strathmore, The Avenue, Rose Bay, John Willoughby, Browne, aged 61 years. At rest. Home papers please copy.

BASSET.—December 17, at Gladesville, John Henry Basset, aged 62.

BULLOCK.—December 17, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Chas. Smith, Weerona, Stephen-st, Randwick, Margaret, widow of William Bullock, late of Gulgong, aged 87.

CHANT.—December 17, 1917, at her parents' residence, Waratah, Moore-street, Leichhardt, Eva, dearly loved infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Chant, aged 11 months.

DE MESTRE.—December 15, 1917, at his residence, Greenwell Point, Andre Cottrill De Mestre, in his 95th year.

EVANS.—At St. Vincent's Hospital, Thomas Edward Evans, late of Surrey-street, Darlinghurst, and formerly of Rockhampton, Queensland, aged 45 years. R.I.P.

GEARY.—December 15, 1917, at her residence, 8 Margaret-street, Petersham, Johana Geary, aged 65 years. R.I.P.

HALE.—December, 1917 (suddenly), at Sydney, Samuel John, beloved husband of Emily Hale, of Maitas, Bridge-road, Drummoyne, aged 63 years. R.I.P.

HUIE.—Ada Mary (Nonie), wife of John E. Huie, of Manly, formerly of Buckingbong station, Narrandera, aged 46 years (accidentally killed).

HUIE.—Margaret Gordon, only surviving daughter of the late James Huie, C.E., Victoria, aged 66 years (accidentally killed).

PEARSON.—December 15, at her residence, Esperance, 68 Mansfield-street, Rozelle, Annie, the dearly loved wife of Joseph Pearson, aged 53. Interment took place on Sunday, December 16. Peace, perfect peace.

PROVEST.—December 16, 1917, at Royal North Shore Hospital, Eddie, beloved eldest son of Alan and Pearl Provest, Brooklyn, Hawkesbury River.

TAYLOR.—December 17, at Sydney, Clara Lily, 2nd eldest daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. B. A. A. Mosely, aged 35 years.

WALSHE.—December [illegible], 1917, at his residence, Walcha, New England, [illegible] John Walshe, in his 83rd year.

WHITING.—December 15, 1917, at his son's residence, Marsden-street, Parramatta, William George Whiting, in his 80th year.

ROLL OF HONOUR.

CRANNEY.—Killed in action abroad, on November 29, 1917, Corporal A. J. (Gus) Cranney. Inserted by his loving sister, Mrs. A. E. O'Brien, Barcom-avenue, Darlinghurst.

CUMMINS.—Killed in action in France, March 21, 1917, Private Keith Cummins, in his 17th year, dearly-loved youngest son of Mrs. Cummins and the late J. J. Cummins, of View-street, Woollahra.

DEASE.—Died of wounds, December 10, Lieut. J. V. Dease, 20th Batt., late of Croydon and Deelamon, Mitchell, Queensland. Requiescat in pace.

LANE.—Killed in action in France, November 20, 1917, Lieut. Lionel W. Lane. Inserted by his friend, Winifred Law, Smith-street, Summer Hill.

LONG.—Corpl. Mark Anthony Long, killed in action in France, November 3, 1917. The best pal a man ever had. Inserted by Private J. H. Crowell (on active service).

LONG.—Corpl. Mark Anthony Long, killed in action in France, November 3, 1917. Gone; what sadness it means. Inserted by Mr. and Mrs. Crowell and family, 154 Flinders-street, Moore Park.

RAMSAY.—Killed in action in France, December 1, 1917, Charles John Alexander Ramsay, Lieut., 30th Battalion, dearly loved second son of the late Frederick Augustus Ramsay, and Mrs. Ramsay, of Brixton, Glen-street, Paddington, brother of Lieutenant Harrie Skardon Ramsay, 17th Batt., and S.S. Major Frederick D. Ramsay, Home Defence.

SMITH.—Killed in action in France, November 21, 1917, Private T. C. Smith, 240 Young-street, Annandale, aged 21 years. Sacred heart of Jesus, have mercy on his soul. R.I.P. Inserted by his loving father, mother, sister, and brothers.

SMORTI.—Killed in action, France, October 4, 1917, Private K. M. Smorti, dearly beloved eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Smorti, aged 19 years and 8 months. The supreme sacrifice.

IN MEMORIAM.

AMOS.—In loving memory of our dear little daughter, Elsie Veronica, who departed this life December 18, 1916, aged 3 years.

An angel came and stole my flower;
But I will not repine,
For Jesus in His bosom wears
The flower that once was mine.

Inserted by her loving parents, Violet and Will Amos.

AMOS.—In ever-loving memory of our dear sister, Elsie Veronica Amos, who passed away December 18, 1916. Sweetly and safely now she rests. Inserted by Willie, Alice, Walter, Harry.

DOUGLAS.—Late Sergeant Jack, 1st Battalion, third son of W. Douglas, J.P., Barraba, died 18th December, aged 25 years. Inserted by his loving sister and brother-in-law, Mrs. and R. C. Clark, Gosford.

GATES.—In ever loving memory of my dear beloved husband, Thomas Gates, who departed this life December 18, 1913. Inserted by his loving wife, Eliza. Sadly missed.

GATES.—In ever loving memory of our dear father, Thomas Gates, who departed this life December 18, 1913. Loved and respected by all. Inserted by his loving daughter and son, Hannah, Fere., and granddaughter Hazel.

GATES.—In ever loving memory of our dear father, Thomas Gates, who departed this life December 18, 1913. Gone, but not forgotten. Inserted by his loving daughter and son, Janey and Matt, and grandson, Bob.

GOODBUN.—In loving memory of my dear husband and our father, Frank Bassett, who departed this life December 18, 1916. Gone, but not forgotten. Inserted by his loving wife and family.

GORRELL.—In loving memory of my dear wife, and our dear mother, Eliza Margery, who departed this life December 17, 1900. Inserted by her loving husband, Francis, and children, Nestor, Archie, Harry, Bert, Samuel, Edie, Stella, Wally, and Alick.

HAWKINS.—In loving memory of our dear son and brother, Will, who died at Seymour, Victoria, December 18, 1913. Nearer, my God. Inserted by his loving parent, brother, and sister.

HOLLINGSWORTH.—In loving memory of James Hollingsworth, who died December 17, 1916. Be at rest. Inserted by his loving brother and sister, R. J. and I. Hollingsworth.

HOURIGAN.—In loving memory of our dear son and brother, Henry Stephen (Steve), who passed away on December 18, 1912, aged 17 years and 8 months.

May the winds of heaven softly blow
O'er the dear and hallowed spot,
For amid the changing scenes of life
By us you never will be forgotten.

Inserted by his ever-loving father, mother, and brothers, Frank (on active service), Laurie, Alf., and Jim, Rose Bay.

HUTTON.—In loving memory of our dear mother, who departed this life December 18, 1913. Inserted by her loving son and daughter-in-law, Jim and Minnie.

In loving memory of our darling daughter, Una Violet (Vidie), who died December 18, 1916. Inserted by her loving mother, father, and sisters, Nina, Constance, Hazel, Corrie, and Nita. Abide with me.

LLOYD.—In loving memory of our dear daughter, Ella, died at Mosman, Dec. 18, 1916, aged 24 years.

Oh for the touch of a vanished hand,
And the sound of a voice that is still.

LLOYD.—In loving memory of my dear sister, Ella, who departed this life December 18, 1916. Inserted by her loving brother and sister-in-law, Roy and Alice.

LUMLEY.—In loving memory of our dear wife and mother, who departed this life December 18, 1916.

Your memory is as dear to-day
As in the hour you passed away.

Inserted by her loving husband and daughter, Molly.

MARTIN.—In affectionate memory of W. D. Martin, of Ryde, who died December 18, 1916. Inserted by his loving wife and children, Dorothy, Marjorie, Kenneth, and Ron.

McGURGAN.—In loving memory of our dear mother Bridget McGurgan, who departed this life December 18, 1914. Inserted by her loving son and daughter-in-law, Dan and Barbara. R.I.P.

SMITH.—In sad but loving memory of my dear husband, Percy Smith, who was accidentally drowned in the Nepean River, December 18, 1916. Gone, but not forgotten. Inserted by his loving wife, Alice Smith.

SMITH.—In loving memory of our dear niece and cousin, Elizabeth Smith (Dolly), who departed this life December 18, 1915, aged 30 years. Peace, perfect peace. Inserted by her loving auntie and uncle, J. and F. Johnston, and cousins.

STRONGMAN.—In loving memory of Mr. Samuel Strongman, who departed this life December 18, 1911.

We often sit and think of you,
And think of how you died,
But, oh, it was so hard to think
We could not say good-bye.

Inserted by his loving friends, Mrs. Morris, Ernest Grainger, and James Morton.

SWAN.—In loving memory of my dear husband, John, and our father, who departed this life, December 18, 1896.

Your memory is as dear to-day
As in the hour you passed away.

Inserted by his loving wife, Isabella Swan, and children.

TOLLUS.—In loving memory of my dear wife, Lillian, who departed this life December 18, 1916. Inserted by her loving husband and children.

WALLACE.—In loving memory of our dear mother, who departed this life December 18, 1916. Inserted by her loving daughters, Harriet and Edie.

WELLER.—In loving memory of dear father, Henry Weller, who departed this life December 18, 1908, at Balmain.

His memory is as dear to-day,
As in the hour he passed away.

Inserted by his loving children.

WHITE.—In loving memory of my dear daughter (Millie), Mildred Alice, who departed this life December 18, 1909, aged 20 years 6 weeks.

This lovely bud, so young, so fair,
Called hence by early doom.

Inserted by mother and father, brother and sister-in-law, and little [illegible].

WHITMORE.—In loving memory of our dear father, George Whitmore, who passed away December 18, 1912. Sadly missed. Inserted by his loving son and daughter-in-law, William and Sarah Whitmore, and grandchildren, George, Mary, and Doris.

RETURN THANKS.

Mr. and Mrs. FARISH, of Bankstown, wish to tender their sincere THANKS to the doctors and nurses of the Royal Alexandra Hospital for their kindness and attention; also to all kind friends for their letters and cards and floral tributes sent to them in their late bereavement.

Mrs. J. FRENCH, of Gulgong, desires to return her sincere THANKS to Doctors Meeke and Graham, also Nurse Pryor, for their untiring attention during the illness of her late beloved daughter, Lydia.

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SYDNEY'S POSITION.

"A city that is set on an hill" may be fairly applied to Sydney in this referendum. It is true of the metropolis of New South Wales in the strictest sense, because nearly half the population of the State is settled round Port Jackson on heights that greet the sunrise and in suburbs which stretch practically to Parramatta, the old seat of government. But the city may prove our undoing on Thursday; and its prominence and pre-eminence will become an advertisement of disloyalty and disunion unless every citizen with its good name at heart votes "Yes." There is probably no centre of population in the world quite so open to attack from the enemy without and the enemy within. No city has so great a responsibility because of its position and dominating interests. Yet we are thinking of it to-day as a doubtful quantity, or as the element which may depose our State from the leadership of the Commonwealth, because the forces of disaffection make it more like Petrograd than London or Paris. For a long time now it has been "the octopus" to dwellers in the country, because successive Governments have found it impossible to resist demands for improving its connections, easing its disabilities, and developing its resources as one of the finest ports in the world. To its attractions have been drawn a population which broadly is the result of a back-country fruitful beyond belief in the forcing sun of these southern latitudes, and of a trade which embraces the whole world in its reach. But industries have been established as the population has grown; and more and more the greatest city in the Commonwealth has become the centre of militant unionism and of the forces which in the end are against all government. This needs to be qualified as a generalisation by the reminder that good as well as evil has its rallying centre in Sydney. Our system of education has its crown in the University; and the great charitable organisations were never better represented than they are here. No finer illustration of the essential soundness of the community can be offered than the collections that have been made for war funds, and the work that has been done without ceasing in a hundred different directions for helping our men at the front. So true is it that Sydney is a centre of patriotic feeling and enterprise that if every man and woman will vote as their better selves dictate on Thursday the majority resulting for "Yes" will be a splendid reversal of the failure of October last year. But many people have not yet begun to realise the seriousness of the present situation. They are living in a fool's paradise; and the militant minority is so active and persistent in its misrepresentations that the weak are liable to be led astray and the unthinking to believe the last lie told them instead of keeping clear eyes upon the great facts of the war. Could there be anything more serious as a warning in this connection than the insolent parade through our streets on Sunday last? It was claimed to be a demonstration for voluntary service; and if it had been true to name the referendum could have been proved unnecessary almost at once. There were enough able-bodied men of fighting age in the streets yelling themselves hoarse as advocates of voluntary service to have provided several months' reinforcements for our army without the need of a single draft by compulsion. Yet the recruiting lists were not helped as far as we can see by a single volunteer. The demonstration was proved to be a sham, if in support of the war.

Is this city set on an hill to make Australia's name a by-word among the Allied nations on Thursday next? Or will the country voters join hands with city loyalists, as in the last general strike, to prove the State a pillar of support for the Commonwealth at war? Sydney can only betray New South Wales and Australia as the majority of honest Empire-loving citizens fail to do their duty, and this is possible through the sloth or selfishness which finds some excuse in life lived away from the drums and tramplings of war. Were but one of the many air raids which have kept London on tenter hooks for months to be our experience there would be a quick awakening. We can imagine Sunday's militant procession disappearing like moisture from our pavements in a hot sun if a German cruiser had begun to make an attack upon us; and the first to find shelter in the cellars would probably be the leaders of it. Yet this is hardly fair to the average Australian, who would fight quickly enough if he could see the enemy. But we are not like Ajax, blinded but desperate, who only asked the return of sight to see his foeman's face; because he knew there was an enemy, and our valiant hosts led by valiant agitators in Sydney act as though the war could never reach our shores. Unionists afraid of depleted ranks, and assured that aliens are to be introduced to replace them if they are forced to fight abroad, forget that they will be infinitely worse off when Australia has been disgraced by their cowardice. It is a monstrous thing to suggest, as certain people in our midst are doing, that a visitor like Dr. Morrison, who is here on holiday, has come to arrange for an influx of Chinese to replace the men who will be taken by compulsion. This is an insult to China in the first place, who is practically accused of wanting to attack us—one Ally turning upon another; but it is an abominable slur upon us as a British community, whose existence is due to the Empire and to the flag which has protected us for so long. We are to make China our excuse for treachery! We are to cease fighting and desert our men at the front because we place Australia first in this fashion! But Sunday's procession and its blatant cries should be a warning nevertheless. It will only represent the mind of the metropolis as we allow it to do so. It is a clear demonstration of the forces of evil working in our midst, and of the strength of the opposition to the Empire and to the war; and to that extent it must be given full value and must be accepted as potent for mischief. As we decline to underestimate it and rally to the flag, it will have been helpful in this crisis. The same implied threats of violence and disorder were offered to Lincoln when he forced his will upon the Northern States in the American Civil War. Displays of force were made to disarm him and frighten the law-abiding among the citizens; but when the real test came there could be but one end. The people's will was asserted through the President, and compulsory service saved the Republic. Sydney to-day may make serious trouble, but the loyalists in city and country can save the State; and later on the metropolis will take the lead, though another severe lesson may be needed to place the Empire first.

[Written, after consultation, to express the views of the "Sydney Morning Herald," by C. Brunsdon Fletcher, 38 Hunter-street, Sydney.]

THE SPIRIT OF THE ALLIES.

Colonel House has accomplished a feat unusual in a diplomatist by including the most valuable passages in his report on the Allied Conference in the summary issued to the general public. The spirit of the French and the British peoples may not have been one of the subjects set down for discussion by the seventy representatives, or by the various committees. It is, nevertheless, the subject which is of most interest to the Governments both of Germany and of the United States, and of most importance to the whole world. The Germans have not ceased to cherish the belief on which they built many of their hopes at the beginning of the war. They claimed that even if their military plans were defeated and their preparations proved insufficient, their national character and their form of government guaranteed them ultimate victory. The foundations of their character were said to be endurance, docility, and the consciousness of a divinely instituted mission to dominate the world. Their form of government gave them unity of control and provided their leaders with the power necessary to coerce masses of men into obedience if ever their native docility were lost. As against their own attributes they set the licence of democracy, its lack of organisation, its love of deliberation when action is needed, its want of stamina, its unwillingness to sacrifice the comfort of one generation for the salvation of the State. Such of the Germans as have retained these beliefs satisfy themselves by evidence of the kind which persuaded them that the British Empire would go to pieces on the outbreak of war. They refuse to credit their enemies with the virtues on which their own history has been built. They mistake a few expressions of weakness, of treachery, of despair, for the voice of a nation. They listen to men who are paid to prove a given case, as if they were both sincere and capable of interpreting the spirit of a people in the gravest crisis of its history. The persistence of their errors was seen in the latest speech of Baron von Kuhlmann, who owed his promotion to his reputation as a student of human nature as embodied in the enemies of his country. He declared that internal dissensions would prevent the United States from ever taking an effective part in Europe, that Italy was beaten already, that France had been driven to the brink of failure by internal quarrels. The record of the United States, the response of Congress to the President's appeal for war against Austria, the decision to send Colonel House and his colleagues to take part with the Allies in the conference at Paris furnish an answer which must overwhelm the advice of Count von Bernstorff and his agents. Italy speaks through the heroic defence of her armies and the unity of her statesmen. Since the battle of the Marne the war has shown us nothing so noble as the recovery of this nation in the face of the enemy after a heartbreaking disappointment; nothing so likely to break through even German self-complacency as the co-operation of statesmen whose differences of opinion had given cause for anxiety even when the Italian armies seemed to be far on the way to a decisive victory.

The German charges against Great Britain and France are not so specific, and are therefore not so readily answered except after the visit of a trained observer such as Colonel House. They are founded on a knowledge of the sufferings and losses of the two nations, and in the case of France on frequent political changes and on recent revelations of the existence in pre-war days of a pacificist and revolutionary section pledged to prevent war at any cost; in the case of England, on the occurrence of strikes in important industries and on the work of a pacificist section such as has existed in every country since the beginning, and has grown as the terrible burden of the war has begun to be felt. The Germans know best how France has suffered, though they cannot realise the anguish which their system of forced labour and of deportation has inflicted on a sensitive people. They know the losses which their armies have inflicted while France was providing the covering troops of the Alliance, and they can faintly realise the sufferings of a people from whom victory so often promised has been so long withheld. But the Germans have never yet learned the depth of the resolve with which their conduct has inspired the French people, and, after them, the British. The same syndicalists who had determined to cripple the national defence cheerfully obeyed the summons to arms because it promised to end the eternal threat of German militarism. They and their families have had to endure other hardships than those of the battlefield. For a long time past the French have been restricted in all the comforts of life, while they have witnessed the sacrifice of a whole generation. Their sacrifices have not weakened the resolve with which they went to war. They know the character of the Germans better than they knew it after 1814 or 1870. They are convinced that only the realisation of defeat will compel them to stop short of the destruction of all individual liberty and all national independence within their reach. The Germans still attempt to force the Allies to peace by boasting of their new strength and of their intention to use it if a compromise is not accepted immediately. Colonel House's report shows that the campaign of propaganda has failed again. France has shown that the democratic principle gives a nation strength to overcome its lack of unity, of direction, and of powers of coercion. It gives it the power to recover from the heaviest blows of fortune, which is the real test of greatness in a national character. The three great nations of the West have all now passed the two tests of the right to survive, which are founded on power of endurance and power of recovery. The same spirit will carry them through the dangerous times ahead. The source of greatness which escapes the eye of the German detectives will compose all differences in face of the common menace. Some Germans appear to understand how the crimes of their statesmen and their soldiers have caused the whole of civilisation to unite in a resolve to free the world of the future from their domination. But very few of them can feel the depth of the conviction with which the Allied peoples feel that this is a war not for territory or trade but for the liberation of mankind from tyranny and fear.

CENSORSHIP.

PRESS NOT GAGGED.

It has been stated in speeches, articles, and leaflets that anti-conscriptionists are being gagged by the censorship and prevented from stating their case. The suggestion, the censor at Sydney states, is absolutely false, and may influence voters illegitimately. Only a few words have been deleted in referendum matter submitted since November 24, and every item, or almost every item, deleted before that date has been re-submitted and passed for publication in spite of the fact that it often contravened War Precautions Regulations.

The following is a copy of a telegram received by the censor at Sydney from the deputy-chief censor on 20th ult.:—

"Cancel all previous instructions with regard to publication of referendum matters in Australia. The following instructions are the only ones in force for the referendum campaign, and are to be strictly adhered to: 'Pass all matter whatsoever submitted for censorship except first naval or military information, the conveyance of which is likely to be of value to the enemy or of harm to us; secondly, disloyal statements; thirdly, matter likely to offend Allied or neutral Powers. In all political matters the papers are to be their own censors and free to insert what they please, taking full responsibility for whatever they publish. This instruction applies to all newspapers, pamphlets, leaflets, and other publications, but applies to referendum campaign matter only.'"

WHICH PATH?

HONOUR, OR SHAME?

DR. MORRISON'S APPEAL.

Replying to the toast of his health at a largely-attended luncheon given in his honour at Farmer's yesterday by the New South Wales Institute of Journalists, Dr. G. E. Morrison, F.R.G.S., the political adviser to the Chinese Republic, said he had returned to Australia, after an absence of 15 years, to find that a friend of his had been assured by a tram conductor—(laughter)—that the latter knew all about his mission to this country. "I was reported to have come to Australia," proceeded Dr. Morrison, "in order to see 'Billie Hughes,' as he was termed, with regard to the importation into this country of Chinese labour to take the place of soldiers who would be sent to the front. (Loud laughter.) It is astonishing that such things could even be dreamed by my fellow-countrymen.

"I am confident that my fellow-countrymen will be true to themselves, to their Allies, and to their mother country. (Applause.) Next Thursday is a fateful day in our history; it is an occasion upon which we are to decide what path we are to follow—the path that leads to honour or the path that leads to shame. (Applause.) Are we, on that day, to follow the ideals set before us by Cardinal Mercier, who, with his own eyes, has witnessed the inhuman sufferings imposed by Germany upon Catholic Belgium, and the ideals set before us by the democratic President of the greatest democracy, the United States; or are we to follow the ideals set before us by the Bolsheviks, the Leninists, the Maximalists, and the anarchists, who, in a few months, have reduced to impotency the mighty Power that once was Russia?" (Applause.)

PERSONAL.

VICE-REGAL.

His Excellency the Governor-General will hold an investiture at 4 o'clock, at Admiralty House, this afternoon. Ladies and gentlemen invited to the investiture are requested to bring their cards of invitation for presentation to the A.D.C.-in-waiting.

His Excellency the Governor-General, attended by Captain the Hon. B. Clifford, A.D.C., yesterday afternoon attended the military sports at the Liverpool Camp.

Their Excellencies the Governor-General and Lady Helen Munro Ferguson, attended by Captain Haskett-Smith, A.D.C., were present last evening at the Repertory Theatre at the amateur theatricals in aid of the comforts funds of the 4th and 56th Battalions.

Mrs. F. Curtiss, of Double Bay, received word yesterday that her son, Mr. E. F. B. Curtiss, of the Royal Flying Corps, brother of Mr. E. G. Curtiss, of Strathfield, had been promoted to the rank of captaincy.

"WE ARE UNDER STRENGTH."

Mr. C. C. Lance, chairman of the Sydney Harbour Trust, has received a letter from his nephew at the front in which he says:—

"Many of the units are under-strength. We are under strength, and needless to say, it puts more work on the others. We are working 8 men where 12 should be, on our gun—that is the full number, allowing for changes. It means we work 4 at a time on the gun. If we had another 4 we could have 3 days on the guns and 6 off—now it is 3 each way."

INVALID SOLDIERS.

NOTICE TO MOTOR CAR OWNERS.

A batch of New Zealand men will arrive by train to-morrow morning. Motor cars numbered on the Red Cross register from 457 to 479, and from 1 to 30, are required to attend at Chalmers-street entrance to the Central Railway Station at 9.45 a.m.

SHOP EARLY.

THE CHRISTMAS RUSH.

NEW INDUSTRIES SPRINGING UP.

Looking at the crowds that thronged the city streets and filled the shops, one could hardly realise that there was a war on—a great war upon the issue of which we, in this country, are vitally concerned. A professional man, gazing upon thousands of men and women, who seemed to be as well-dressed as ever, rushing here and there to make their Christmas purchases, remarked: "It almost makes one sad."

But, if you go to a business man—the head of any of our great retail establishments—you will learn that appearances are sometimes deceptive. "Look around on all these hundreds of women shopping," said one of these gentlemen, "and you will see that beneath the surface show is the constant thought of the times in which they live. Don't imagine that the men are the only ones who think about the war, though it is true enough, of course, that too many of our women give it but a passing thought and live very much as they always lived. When I add that our Christmas sales this year are greater than last year—greater than ever before—you will wonder what I am driving at. Well, what I mean is that whilst the people are spending more money than they ever did before, they are spending less than they ever did upon themselves. That's the conclusion I have come to. It's the soldiers and the kiddies they are thinking of rather than themselves. You would be surprised at the aggregate value of the presents that have been purchased for the boys in the trenches, and for those in camp at home; and now the rush on behalf of the children has set in. Just look at them!"

The toy department was crowded from end to end. And it was not cheap toys that the women were buying, either. For the matter of that, there are no cheap toys now-days. Shipping space is so valuable that it costs a great deal of money to import anything these days. On a recent shipment of silk goods from England, for instance, the freight was no less than £25 a ton. For people who want to buy silks and things of that kind, the cost of living has certainly gone up. But there are some luxuries that have been cut out altogether. The importation of fancy sweets, for instance, has been absolutely prohibited for the last two or three months. And so with certain other goods.

One result has been to cause a number of new industries to spring up here. We have had our factories for the manufacture of sweets, but there was always a large demand for the high-class imported article, and now that this is no longer to be obtained, an effort is being made to supply the deficiency. You see it in the beautiful home-made sweets that the shops are stocking now. The same thing may be said of many other things, including toys. Quite a large toy-making industry is springing up in our midst; but as yet we have no toy-making company in this State, no factory. The nearest approach to such a thing, perhaps, is the toy-making department of the Red Cross, where many of our returned soldiers are at work. But most of the toys our soldiers make—like their leather-work and basket-work—find a ready sale privately. The great bulk of these toys, made in New South Wales, that one sees in the shops—made of wood for the most part—come from private homes. Clever people are making them as a hobby, and they are being well paid for their work. But there is room for an immense development in this direction.

There are a hundred and one industries which the war has taught us might profitably be established in Australia. Especially is much to be done with our timbers. The other day, in Victoria, the Governor-General, Sir Ronald Munro Ferguson, who takes a special interest in forestry matters, visited a factory where are Australian woods are being turned to profitable use—for the manufacture of fancy tables and chairs, trays, serviette rings, walking sticks, umbrella handles, and all manner of things—and his Excellency expressed himself as astonished with the material lying ready to our hand.

There is one thing that ought to be impressed upon the public at this time, and that is the necessity for doing their shopping early. There is no excuse for the madness of leaving everything to the last. It will be better for all concerned if the public will realise this, and especially will it be appreciated by the tired saleswomen whose Christmas, as a rule, is spoilt by this want of consideration on the part of customers.

PRIME MINISTER.

TO ARRIVE TO-DAY.

The Prime Minister will arrive in Sydney this morning, and will speak to-night in the Sydney Town Hall. The Lord Mayor, Alderman R. D. Meagher, will preside. A musical programme will take place between 7 and 8 o'clock. Tickets for early admission may be obtained at the Reinforcements Referendum Campaign Headquarters, Perpetual Trustee-chambers, 33-39 Hunter-street.

Mr. Hughes will remain in Sydney for Wednesday, the remaining day of the campaign, and address several meetings.

One of the features of the welcome to the Prime Minister this morning will be that arranged by the "Dinkums." Permission has been given to all returned sailors and soldiers to wear their uniforms, and, in addition to this, the members of the Rejected Volunteers' Association will also join the march.

All those taking part are asked to assemble in Eddy-avenue, near the Central Railway Station, at 10.30 a.m. So that ordinary traffic will not be interfered with, special trams have been arranged. A tram will leave St. George's Heights camp to catch the 9.24 a.m. steamer from Mosman. On arrival at Circular Quay a special tram will be waiting at the Customs-house to convey the returned men direct to Eddy-avenue. At 9.40 a.m. a special tram will leave the front of No. 4 A.G. Hospital, Randwick.

THE SPIRIT VOICES.

Their bodies rest in silence on the shores of Anzac Bay.
And the glorious fields of Flanders hold their honoured dust to-day.
But, in this her hour of crisis, of conflicting hopes and fears,
This soul-inspiring message from her dead Australia hears.

Above the clash of parties and the din of factious strife,
Above the sordid clamour of our narrow, selfish life,
Comes the swelling spirit-chorus of those hero-hearts so true.
Men and women of Australia, shall they call in vain to you?

From the heights of deathless honour, where their valiant spirits dwell
Sounds the ringing, vibrant message of the men who fought and fell:
"By the cause we've bled and died for, by the sacrifice we've made,
As we trod our path of duty, uncomplaining, unafraid!

"For the love our dear ones bore us, by the bitter price they pay,
As the empty years to follow darken all their lonely way,
For the sake of those our comrades, who, with courage all divine,
Keep their shattered ranks together in the far-flung fighting line.

"Keep the standard that they set you; tread the glorious path they tread.
While we ask that not all vainly shall our life-blood have been shed,
We have fought to guard you safely, we have died to keep you free.
Then, we bid you speed our country to her own high destiny.

"We have fought and we have striven; we have kindled high the flame
Of the splendid fire of honour, lighting up Australia's name.
We have left it in your keeping as a thing of high renown.
You, who shelter 'neath its lustre, will you let its light die down?"

May that message from her heroes set Australia's heart aglow
With a love that dare not wrong them by the soulless word of "No!"
But, forsaking baser issues in a noble fearlessness,
Of her dead be truly worthy in her triumph cry of "YES."

DOROTHY C. ROWSELL ("Constance Campbell"),
Hambledon, Roseville-avenue, Roseville.

ITALIAN RED CROSS.

The following additional subscriptions are announced:—Amount already acknowledged, £1509/3/; United Grand Lodge of Masons, £25; Toohey's, Limited, £5/5/; N. W. Kater, £2. Total, £1541/8/.

DR. MORRISON.

HONOURED BY JOURNALISTS.

TRADE RELATIONS WITH CHINA.

As an Australian and as a noted journalist, prior to assuming the office of political adviser to the Chinese Republic, Dr. George E. Morrison, F.R.G.S., was peculiarly at home yesterday as the guest at Farmer's of the New South Wales Institute of Journalists. In lighter vein he spoke of some of his personal reminiscences; the large and very representative audience also followed with close interest his reference to the development of our trade with China. The president of the Institute (Mr. T. W. Heney) presided, others present, in addition to the principal guest, including the Premier and Mrs. Holman, the Consul-General for America (Mr. Brittain), the Consul-General for Japan (Mr. Shimizu), Brigadier-General Jobson, Mr. Justice Ferguson, Mr. D. D. Braham, the Minister for Health (Mr. J. D. Fitzgerald), Dr. Snowden (of New York), and Messrs. J. O. Fairfax, Geoffrey Fairfax, Jas. Chalmers, Norman Pope, G. Wright, and Livingstone Hopkins.

READ HIS OWN OBITUARY.

It was a striking tribute that Mr. Braham paid to Dr. Morrison in proposing his health. Referring to him as the most famous of all Australian journalists, he said he believed Dr. Morrison had the record of being the only journalist who had been able to read his own obituary in his own paper. The story went in the "Times" office, with which Dr. Morrison was then associated, that whenever he spoke of an increase of salary he would accompany his words with a cutting of his obituary. (Laughter.) Referring to some of Dr. Morrison's outstanding journalistic achievements, he said Lord Curzon, then Under-Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, was once asked how the "Times" got the news of developments long before the British Government. Lord Curzon replied that Dr. Morrison did not depend upon official information, but indulged in the pernicious practice of exercising an intelligent anticipation of events before they occurred. (Laughter.) No journalist, perhaps, had secured more important "scoops" than Dr. Morrison, yet there was no journalist living to whom it would be safer to entrust a confidence than their guest. (Applause.) He spoke also of the excellent choice which the Chinese Republic had made in the appointment of Dr. Morrison as its political adviser.

THE EAST AND THE WEST.

The Premier, Mr. Holman, in supporting the toast, expressed the pleasure it gave him to supplement Mr. Braham's words, as one who had played a part in the two professions with which Dr. Morrison's name was associated—journalism and politics. He spoke of Dr. Morrison's splendid work in making the mind of the East comprehensible to the people of the West, and to us in Australia, half-way between the East and the West, there was likely to be no movement which would have a more direct bearing upon our future than that for a better understanding, for which Dr. Morrison had done so much. (Applause.) Australians had every reason to feel grateful to their guest for what he had done to bring the East and the West to a better and more friendly understanding. The United States saw in us the reproduction of their own turbulent youth. But they saw also that we had a spark of good and of reasonableness in us, and he had every reason to think that the same feeling existed in the East also. He saw in Dr. Morrison the spectacle of an Australian who had been able to break absolutely the intellectual barriers which unhappily surrounded too often the outlook of Australians upon the world's affairs. He hailed Dr. Morrison as one who might, even at this late moment, tell us something which might determine us to sweep aside that short-sightedness which was advocated in certain quarters, and to realise that our fate was part of the fate of humanity at large. (Applause.) And that we had to stand or fall with the general human family. Dr. Morrison had always stood for the broader view, and he offered him a most hearty welcome. (Applause.)

STRUGGLING DAYS.

Responding to the toast, Dr. Morrison said it was a special pleasure that his health should have been proposed by Mr. Braham, who, for a number of years, was his colleague on the "Times." He appreciated also the Premier's cordial welcome. Speaking of his struggling days as a journalist, he recounted his effort to obtain a position in that sphere of activity. He had written a book giving an account of his journey across China, and was lunching on one occasion with Phil May—the friend who in those days helped him most—and Mrs. May, when the editor of the "St. James's Gazette" was announced. Phil May introduced him to the gentleman in these words:—"This is Dr. Morrison; of course you have read his book." The editor of the paper in question rose to the occasion, and said:—"I have read the book. It is delightful—a book that fascinates me." May and the editor had occasion to leave the room, when the latter was overheard to say:—"What is the name of the man you introduced to me just now, and what is the name of the book he wrote." (Laughter.) Dr. Morrison went on to say that he had the good fortune to obtain an appointment on the "Times" after having been rejected by nearly every other important newspaper. He received a letter from the manager of the "Times" asking him to see him on Wednesday, Thursday, or Friday afternoon, between 3 and 5 o'clock. He naturally decided to be there at 3 o'clock on Wednesday—(laughter)—but a friend told him that to do so would make it appear that he was too eager. He went instead on Thursday afternoon, and was invited to dinner. It meant wearing dress clothes, at a moment when he was living on his dress clothes. (Laughter.) They had been deposited in an establishment in the Strand, and he was living on the proceeds of them. (Laughter.)

"A STALWART BRITISHER."

Speaking of his missions to China and other parts for the "Times," Dr. Morrison said that one of the first men he met in Peking was a native of Trieste, who called himself a "stalwart Britisher." His name was Louis Schneider. (Laughter.) That man had had an exciting career in this country, where on two occasions he became known to the courts, while in Peking he got into a good position, and was one of the most successful arms dealers who had ever gone to China. It was on record that that man planted on the Chinese the most inferior consignment of weapons ever brought into China, and that he succeeded in inducing the Chinese to buy them on the ground that they were the weapons with which England had won the battle of Waterloo. (Laughter.) Dr. Morrison went on to say that it was now 22 years since he first joined the "Times," and of that period he had spent five years in the service of the Chinese Government. It had been his good fortune to travel in every part of the Chinese dominions, and by all classes—from the highest officials to the humblest class—he had been treated with a courtesy and a generosity the recollection of which would always be with him. (Applause.)

THE FUTURE OF THE CHINESE.

He was one of those who believed in the future of the Chinese people. That country, with its vast area, was the largest undeveloped, unexploited area on the earth's surface at the present day. Their ally, the Japanese, had realised the importance of the country. Their men had travelled all over China, and they knew more about the resources of China than did the Chinese themselves. But he did not think that the knowledge they had obtained would be used other than for the good of the Chinese people. (Hear, hear.) In Korea the work done by the Japanese Government was one of the most remarkable pieces of administration ever carried out in the history of the world. Lord Curzon had in 1894 written of Korea that it was the worst governed portion of the world. But if he were to go there now he would say it was one of the most admirably governed sections of the whole of the earth's surface. Korea had developed to an extent that passed all belief.

OUR TRADE WITH CHINA.

China not only covered an enormous area, but was enormously fertile, yet Australia, situated as she was in a very favourable position, was doing nothing or hardly anything to develop her trade with the country. Americans now went to China, and were developing trade with that country along lines which were of enormous service to the workers in the United States. The knowledge of English had spread all over China and was being encouraged by the American Government. More than two million pounds had been devoted by the American Government to the education of students in American colleges. And every Chinese educated in America went back to China an advocate of the purchase and the use of American wares and materials. Here in Australia we had highly intelligent Chinese merchants. Some of them had returned to China, and had established in different centres emporiums built and stocked on the model of Anthony Hordern's. Behind those enterprises was a capital of two millions. Those stores in China were stocked from basement to attic with foreign goods. "Surely," concluded Dr. Morrison, "we should try ourselves to do something that would enable us to sell our goods in that great market."

The gathering also honoured the toasts of "Our Absent Friends at the Front," proposed by the chairman, and the health of the chairman, proposed by Mr. Brittain.

TO ROMAN CATHOLICS

WHY YOU SHOULD VOTE "YES."

BECAUSE

All good Catholics will respect the weighty words of Pope Benedict XV., given under his hand at the Vatican under date August 1, 1917:—"Reflect on your most serious responsibility before God and before mankind; on your determinations depend the peace and happiness of innumerable families, the lives of thousands of young men, the happiness in a word of peoples for whom it is your absolute duty to procure this benefit. May the Lord inspire in you decisions in conformity with His most holy will."

BECAUSE

Millions who owe spiritual allegiance to the Church of Rome are fighting the righteous cause of the Allies in France and in Italy.

BECAUSE

The tenets of Mannixism would be incomprehensible to the Catholics of the Continent.

BECAUSE

The late Cardinal Moran, on being presented with the freedom of the City of Dublin, bore eloquent testimony to the liberty that his co-religionists enjoy in Australia. He said: "The Imperial flag is honoured and respected to-day as perhaps no other Imperial flag has been honoured since the early days of Imperial Rome."

BECAUSE

The Cardinal said: "The loyalty of their colonies was proverbial. Indeed, none but fools amongst them would be disloyal. The Imperial flag was to them the symbol of strength and union—of justice, prosperity, and peace. It guarded their commerce, protected their industry, and was the emblem of their liberties."

BECAUSE

"If he" (the Cardinal) "were asked what was the secret of the loyalty of which their colonies had given abundant proof and of the industry, prosperity, and harmony which prevail he must reply that they enjoyed under heaven the benefit of shaping their own destinies and making their own laws."

BECAUSE

You should not forget the fate of that most beautiful Gothic pile—the Cathedral of Reims—when once it got within the range of German guns.

BECAUSE

You should do all that lies in your power to save that gorgeous triumph of medieval art and religion—St. Mark's of Venice—from a similar fate.

BECAUSE

The grave indignities, and worse, that peaceful nuns of Belgium experienced at the hands of the German invaders were such as to shock all Christendom.

BECAUSE

Belgian priests and monks were shot by the hundred by the barbaric host who considered that necessity knows no law.

BECAUSE

Archbishop Kelly says: "We must think of the war, and of nothing but the war, till the war is won."

BECAUSE

The Archbishop adds, "We must be with the soldiers in spirit, we must strengthen them with our prayers, and share in their sacrifices."

BECAUSE

The Archbishop adds: "One weak link in the chain may make the chain worthless. Any one class of society that does not rise to its public duty in this crisis is responsible in a manifold sense."

BECAUSE

The Archbishop continues: "You should be ashamed of yourselves if, when you see soldiers drilling and marching, you go after mere amusement. Now or at some other time the scourge of God will visit us and bring us to a proper sense of duty to our God and to society."

BECAUSE

The Archbishop proceeds: "This war concerns Roman Catholics above all others. The man who divides society in the name of religion is guilty of a double offence—an offence against society and against God."

BECAUSE

The Archbishop concludes: "Great Britain sought for peace, and was prepared to make sacrifices for peace, but was eventually forced to draw the sword in defence of all that the people of the Empire hold dear to life. God's blessing is on that sword."

BECAUSE

According to the canon law the arrest of a prince of the Church is a violation of the rights of the Holy See; yet the Germans during the invasion of Belgium arrested Cardinal Mercier of Malines, seized 15,000 copies of his pastoral letter, fined the printer who printed it, forbade its reading in a great number of parishes, forcibly entered the archbishop's palace, interrogated the Cardinal, and afterwards prohibited him from celebrating Mass.

BECAUSE

Cardinal Mercier was asked by General von Bissing to sign a document prepared for him retracting portions of his pastoral letter, that were disapproved by the German invaders. To his eternal credit the brave old man refused.

BECAUSE

Cardinal Mercier in his pastoral letter said of the German invaders: "This power has no legitimate authority. Consequently in the secrecy of your hearts you owe it neither esteem nor affection nor obedience."

BECAUSE

The Cardinal, bold and loyal in the face of a ruthless and determined enemy, said: "The sole legitimate power in Belgium is that of our King, of our Government, of the representatives of the nation. These alone represent authority for us. These alone have the right to our affection and submission."

BECAUSE

Cardinal Mercier, speaking of the valiant Belgian army—he might to-day use the same terms in regard to the Australian forces—said: "Our army alone, fighting beside the valiant troops of our Allies, has our honour under its protection, and is charged with our national defence. Let us know how to wait for our final deliverance at its hands."

F. M. GELLATLY, 28 Hunter-street, Sydney.

THE "SYDNEY MAIL."

The fall of Jerusalem gives especial interest to a large number of Palestine views in this week's "Mail." There are pictures of the Holy City, Bethlehem, Hebron, and many of the sacred places which have for centuries attracted pilgrims from all parts of the world. In connection with the recent British advance on the Western front there are striking photographs taken at the battle of Broodseinde Ridge. As usual, numerous portraits are published of Australians who have been killed or wounded in action. A final appeal is made in support of the Government proposals for reinforcing our men at the front, the matter being accompanied by a very interesting portrait of Mr. W. M. Hughes in the uniform of a volunteer—a portrait taken when the man who is now Prime Minister of Australia was a pupil teacher in a London school. Several pages of photographs illustrate admirably the life of the students at the Cowra Experiment Farm, which has been given up by the Government to the training of women in all classes of agricultural work. The presentation of military medals by the Governor-General in the Sydney Domain is pictured, and the naval and military carnival at the Showground on Saturday in aid of the Veterans' Home at La Perouse, is well illustrated.

RUSSIA.

ARMISTICE TILL JAN. 14.

TREATY SIGNED.

(Admiralty—per Wireless Press.)

LONDON, Dec. 16.

A German official message on Sunday stated: An armistice was signed at Brest-Litovsk yesterday, which begins on Monday, December 17, and ends on January 14. Unless a week's notice is given, it will continue automatically. It extends to all land, air, and naval forces of the common fronts.

Peace negotiations will begin immediately.

A Russian official message states that Krylenko has issued a proclamation announcing that the armistice treaty has been signed. It is proposed to cease all military operations until the full text of armistice has been received.

WILL ENTENTE RECOGNISE BOLSHEVIKS?

Russian news is very confused. The Bolshevik statement that Britain is prepared to review the cases of Chicerin and Petroff two Russians interned in England, whose release has been demanded with a view to their ultimate repatriation is interpreted in some circles to imply that the Entente is disposed to recognise the Bolshevik regime, and prevent Germany securing a preponderating influence in Russia.

The Bolsheviks report that Germany has agreed not to transfer the army to the West front.

According to the Bolsheviks, General Kaledin has been arrested; also the Bolsheviks have captured Rostoff, Taganrog, and some other towns.

SPIRIT OF CONQUEST.

An Amsterdam report says Herr Stresemann, the National Liberal leader, in a speech in Berlin, referring to negotiations with Russia, said that Germany should conduct these as a military conqueror now that Russia was dissolving into separate parts. There could be no question of Russia's territorial integrity. The old Russia had gone, and Germany was entitled to harvest the reward of her conquests.

THE EX-CZAR.

The Petrograd correspondent of the "Daily Chronicle" says the Czar's reported escape is probable. The Bolshevik Government has despatched 400 sailors to Cheliabinsk, Siberia, for the purpose of preventing the Czar joining General Dutoff, commanding the anti-Bolshevik troops at Orenburg.

GERMANY AND PEACE.

LLOYD GEORGE'S SPEECH.

An Amsterdam message states that the "Cologne Gazette" says: Mr. Lloyd George's latest speech is the most immoderate he has ever made. He will not have peace by an understanding such as Lord Lansdowne, English Liberals, and the Russians are trying to realise. The Germans will answer his insolence more sharply and clearly than they have done before.

The "Cologne Gazette" adds: The speech seems to have been dictated by anxiety and fear.

The "People's Gazette" declares the speech is that of a man suffering from mad rage.

STARTLING ADMISSIONS.

The New York "Times" Hague correspondent says the voiced opinion of Prince Max of Baden, one of Germany's ablest democratic statesmen, and Professor von Wrangel, a noted Pacificist, have created a sensation in Germany. Prince Max, addressing the Baden Upper House, condemned President Wilson's establishing himself as the world's judge, but admitted that the American people were convinced that the war must continue for the ideal Wilson had outlined. "Power alone will never secure Germany's position. Our sword alone will never tear down the opposition," he said.

Professor von Wrangel declared: "Wilson, Lloyd George, and Clemenceau are right. A durable peace in Europe is impossible until German militarism, especially Prussian militarism, is crushed."

TRUCULENT TIRPITZ.

Reports from Amsterdam state that Admiral von Tirpitz, speaking in Berlin, repudiated the idea of a conciliatory peace.

Referring to the construction of the Channel tunnel, he said:—"It will be necessary for Germany to retain Flanders, Antwerp, Ostend, and Zeebrugge; also to take Calais and Boulogne. Germany will not part with Flanders, and must retain Briey and Longwy, as they are essential to her trade."

"We know," he added, "how to impose such conditions on our enemies as will guarantee Germany all the raw materials she now lacks."

AMERICAN OPINION.

A Washington report states that the United States Secretary for War (Mr. Baker), in a statement referring to German concentrations on the Western front, declares that the enemy will gain no permanent strategic advantage. No element of the situation shows that the Western initiative is passing on to Germany. Germany realises the danger of her waning influence in the East, following the British victory in Palestine, and is more anxious than ever to conclude a speedy peace before the war map is less favourable. British air raids have concretely brought the war to the German people, whose discontent has been heightened.

THE U-BOATS.

A message from Copenhagen states that according to an official German paper a new U-boat Department has been established under the Navy Office to deal exclusively with submarine warfare.

The Danish steamer Peter Willemoes has been torpedoed in the North Sea. Eighteen of the crew were rescued, two being killed.

EXCHANGE OF PRISONERS.

A message from The Hague states that the British and German Governments have agreed to arrangements for exchanging and transporting wounded and invalid prisoners of war. Three vessels will be employed, sailing under the Dutch and Red Cross flags. The first will leave Rotterdam for Boston on January 1, carrying 850 liberated British prisoners.

It is expected the work of exchanging will take four months.

KILLED IN ACTION.

Captain John Neville Griffiths, of the Royal Medical Corps, son of the late Mr. Neville Griffiths, of Sydney and Casino, has been killed in action.

THE CAILLAUX CASE.

A Paris message says that Caillaux when examined before the Parliamentary Committee protested that he was entirely innocent of the charges preferred against him. He admitted that he had been in the company of certain persons like Cavallini who had come to a bad end.

PALESTINE.

THE BRITISH ADVANCE.

WELCOME TO JERUSALEM.

LONDON, Dec. 16.

An official report from Palestine says: We advanced our left centre yesterday, north-east of Ludd, on a five miles front to a maximum depth of one and a half mile, meeting but little opposition.

We occupied Kibuah, Khibaneh, Chelbornat, and a ridge overlooking Eltireh.

Our aeroplanes dropped 56 bombs on motorboat sheds and troops with good effect. Twenty-four hits were recorded.

GENERAL ALLENBY

General Sir Edmund Allenby, K.C.B has been created a Knight Grand Cross of St. Michael and St. George.

THE POPE'S GRATIFICATION.

The "New York World" asked the Pope for his comment on the capture of Jerusalem.

The Pope replied: "I am most happy to see Christian nations in the Holy City, and trust that the occupation of the place, where the Prince of Peace was born, lived, and died, may be the harbinger of that peace which is desired by all peoples."

ENTRY TO HOLY CITY.

Mr. Massey, official correspondent, sends a vivid description of General Allenby's entry to Jerusalem, which thus liberated the Holy City for Christians and Moslems alike for the first time.

Jerusalem was captured unscathed. Though the Turkish artillery was thundering from the Mount of Olives, General Allenby put the sanctity of holy sites before every consideration, and only approached Jerusalem when his strategy forced the Turks to retreat.

The British, Australian, and New Zealand troops had been overlooking Jerusalem from the distant hill tops for a fortnight before the eventful day came.

There was no pageantry in connection with the entry. General Allenby and staff only had a guard of 150 troops. The proclamation of military law was quietly read upon Mount Zion to notables of the city and heads of the religious bodies. There was no thunderous salute, no flag hoisting, no Te Deums; but a ceremony full of dignity, meaning that the fighting on the hills and in the deep cut valleys of Kar were proof that the new system of government was backed by force.

By the night of December 8 General Allenby's troops had made such progress against the Turkish entrenchments that the enemy's retirement was certain, though they were moving up reinforcements by the Jericho road in a desperate effort to prevent the fall of Jerusalem.

At 8 o'clock on the morning of December 9 the Mayor and Chief of Police came out with a flag of truce, and offered to surrender. The Mayor is a member of the Husseiny family, and possesses documentary proof of direct descent from Mahomet's daughter; hence he was chosen for the mayoralty.

Meanwhile sharp fighting continued on the outskirts, the Turks fighting stubbornly, and meeting bayonet with bayonet. The London troops sent north of the city debouched from a defile, and met with strong machine-gun fire from the Mount of Olives, but the Londoners carried the ridge with a superb bayonet charge, and occupied ground 7000 yards north of the city walls. Meanwhile Welsh troops drove the Turks down the Jericho road.

People flocked into the highways and welcomed General Allenby's representatives, clapping their hands, while old women and girls threw flowers and palm leaves upon the road. The ceremony of surrendering the city was very brief. The British General gave the Mayor instructions to maintain order, and had guards placed over the public buildings outside the Holy City, but no troops entered the walls on December 9. The Turks were driven further northward and eastward during the 10th, when General Allenby made his unforgettable entry at noon.

The Jaffa road was crowded with people flocking westward to greet the conquering General, Armenians and Greeks, besides Moslems. All wore their best robes. From flat-topped roofs and balconies came shouts of genuine welcome.

General Allenby entered on foot. The Military Governor received him outside Jaffa Gate, where a guard of honour was formed of men who had done their full share of the campaign. There were 110 English, Scottish, Welsh, and Irish troops drawn up on the right of the gate. Opposite them 50 men afoot represented the Australian and New Zealand horsemen who had been engaged in the Empire's work in the Sinai Desert and Palestine almost since the war commenced. Inside the walls 20 French and 20 Italians represented detachments sent to partake in the Palestine operations. Close by the Jaffa Gate, whose iron doors are rarely opened, is a wide breach in the walls made to permit the German Emperor's entry in 1898. General Allenby entered by the ancient gate, which the Arabs call "The Friend."

On General Allenby's right was the commander of the French detachment, and on his left the Italian commander. Following were the Italian, French, and American attaches, and a few members of the General Staff. The procession turned to the right into Mount Zion, and halted at the El Kala citadel, on the steps at the base of the Tower of David, which was standing at the time of Christ.

The proclamation of military law was read in four languages. It promised that every person might pursue his lawful business without interruption, and every sacred building, monument, and shrine would be maintained and protected, whatever form of religion it represented. This made a deep impression on the populace. While the proclamation was read, guns were booming east and north, and aeroplanes were droning overhead. Re-forming, the procession moved up Zion-street to Barrack-square, where General Allenby received notables, heads of religious communities, the Mayor, and other leading Moslems, while the patriarchs of the Latin, Greek, Orthodox, and Armenian churches, whom the Turks had compelled to leave Jerusalem, were also represented. The procession then returned to the Jaffa Gate, and the ceremonial ended.

Many of the populace are devoutedly thankful for the British victory. They say they have been starving. It seems the Turks were completely surprised by the defeats at Beersheba and Gaza. Enver Pasha arrived at Jerusalem on November 12, and went to Hebron. Then a decision was made to defend Jerusalem at all costs.

More German officers were added to the Turkish army's technical troops. General von Falkenhayn ordered the removal of a number of American doctors. Heavy rains, making the roads quagmires, and intense cold, greatly added to General Allenby's difficulties throughout the final stages. A deep pall of fog also overhung the hill tops, making air work very difficult.

The Turks often used storm troops, but were completely repulsed, particularly four attacks at Samuel's Tomb. Welsh troops had the honour of taking Bethlehem, which was not injured in the fighting. Though a Turkish battery was nearby, our artillery did not reply. The same Welsh and Home County troops operated east and south of Jerusalem, playing a brilliant part in the final battle.

During the night of December 7 the Londoners moved to attack Miriam's Wall, which was full of trenches and machine-guns. While one brigade made a frontal attack, another climbed up the steep mountain in order to effect a turning movement. After the Turks on the mountain were defeated, two brigades stormed the main line of works at daybreak. By 7 o'clock the whole western defences of Jerusalem had been captured. Dismounted yeomanry also did difficult work, and finally secured the Jerusalem-Nablus road. Troops operating from Bethlehem came up, the Welsh driving out the Turks from the Mount of Olives.

We found 750 wounded Turks in Jerusalem, practically without food.

WEST FRONT.

MINOR ACTIVITY.

LONDON, Dec. 17.

Sir Douglas Haig on Saturday night reported: We completely repulsed a local attack last evening eastward of Bullecourt.

We successfully raided northward of Bullecourt this afternoon, destroying dug outs and capturing prisoners.

The Portuguese elsewhere took a few prisoners in patrol encounters.

Local fighting in the neighbourhood of Polderhoek Chateau has not changed the situation.

There has been considerable hostile artillery fire in the neighbourhood of Hargicourt and Flesquieres, between Gavrelle and Lens, and also at Passchendaele.

Sir Douglas Haig reporting at noon on Sunday stated: We captured prisoners and a machine gun during the night. There were patrol encounters to the southward of Cambrai.

Sir Douglas Haig's midnight report on Sunday stated: We drove off an attack westward of Villers-Guislain, and repulsed a bombing attack northward of La Vacquerie. We slightly improved our position eastward of Avion.

We repulsed a raid southward of Armentieres.

There has been mutual artillery activity southward of the Scarpe, and increased hostile artillery fire northward of Langemarck.

Aeroplanes fired many rounds on trenches, and bombed numerous targets, including two long-range gun positions southwestward of Lille. Enemy aircraft were active. We brought down three and drove down two. None of ours is missing.

FRENCH REPORTS.

A French communique issued on Sunday afternoon stated: There has been fairly great reciprocal artillery activity between the Aisne and the Oise, and on the right of the Meuse, notably in the section of Les Chambrettes. In the evening an attempted attack in the Champagne, west of Mont Cornillet, broke down.

Five German aeroplanes were brought down. Three others crashed to the earth.

A French communique on Sunday night stated: There has been an intermittent artillery duel along the greater part of the front, which was fairly violent in the region north of Bois-des-Caurives.

GERMAN STATEMENT.

(Admiralty—per Wireless Press.)

A German official message on Sunday stated: We advanced our lines in the park of Polderhoek Chateau.

English attacks at Monchy and Bullecourt failed.

WEST OF CAMBRAI.

AUSTRALIAN AIRMEN.

(FROM MR. GORDON GILMOUR, SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT OF THE AUSTRALIAN AND NEW ZEALAND PRESS ASSOCIATION ON THE WESTERN FRONT.)

Describing a visit to the Cambrai front, Mr. Gordon Gilmour says: A few yards of ground either way is not reckoned of much consequence in this sector. The test of success is how many of the enemy have been killed. Those in a position to know say that we have inflicted serious losses. We caught the Boche napping, though he also surprised some of our troops at one point. Now we are giving his counter-attacks a thorough pasting.

A famous general told me that he always taught his men to welcome counter-attacks, because they gave the best chance for immense killing. The fate of the German counter-attacks at Bullecourt has justified our confidence in our ability to hold vital positions and smash attacking forces.

The enemy sought to do things on a big scale upon a front of 1500 yards. Apparently, our harassing counter measures made a wider offensive impossible.

The weather continues good for the time of the year. German activity is being carefully watched. The Australian flying men are participating in the Cambrai battle. I visited them and found they had eighteen German 'planes in their bag, of which one aviator brought down six. Also they have recently been flying low, harassing the German trenches, and dispersing moving troops by means of machine guns and bombs. An officer who formed the first Australian flying unit in Egypt is commanding the Australians, who are hoping for some air duels.

DEADLY FIGHTING.

ITALIANS' BRAVE DEFENCE.

LONDON, Dec. 17.

An Italian official report states: Between the Brenta and Piave the struggle diminished in intensity on Friday evening, and did not increase on Saturday. A prompt counter-attack drove back an attempted advance in the Col Della Berretta region.

The Turin correspondent of the Paris "Matin" says that Below's army, comprising nine divisions, is now disposed between General Krobatin's and General Conrad's armies on spurs east of Grappa. The enemy has 5000 guns from the Asiago to the sea.

The fifth day of the battle in the region between the Brenta and the Piave was the most sanguinary since the offensive began. The enemy threw in reserve divisions without regard to the colossal losses. At the end of the day the hills and valleys were literally covered with dead. The bombardment reached unheard of violence.

GERMAN CLAIM

(Admiralty—Per Wireless Press.)

A German official message on Sunday stated: The Austrians stormed positions south of Col Caprille, and captured several hundred prisoners.

GERMAN WORKS BLOWN UP.

A Copenhagen message says the "Svenska Dagbladet" reports that a big ammunition factory, mainly for Zeppelin and aeroplane bombs, was blown up near Kiel. A number of people were killed, and the buildings were entirely demolished.

It is reported from Zurich that an explosion occurred in Zeppelin works at Friedrichshafen as the result of an accumulation of gas. Many people were injured.

RECRUITING.

Returned officers and men appealed for recruits yesterday in Martin-place.

At 1 o'clock to-morrow Lieut. Littlejohn, Sgt. Sobey, Private Mapstone, and Mr. W. M. Morris will be the speakers in Martin-place.

The official figures for last week show that 489 men volunteered in New South Wales, of whom 256 were accepted.

TOWN-PLANNING EXHIBITION.

Under the auspices of the Town Planning Association of New South Wales and the Local Government Department, a town planning exhibition will be held in the Art Gallery of the Education-buildings, Bridge-street, commencing to-day and finishing on Friday next.

LATE WAR NEWS.

WESTERN FRONT.

LONDON, Dec. 17.

Sir Douglas Haig, reporting at midday, states: There is nothing to report.

MILITARY HONOURS.

Honours have been awarded to the following members of the Australasian forces:—

Bars to the D.S.O.—Australians: Colonels A. Imlay and R. Leane.

D.S.O.—Australians: Majors R. Christie, G. Hurry, E. L. Hutchenson, T. B. James, R. F. Manton, and P. Maplestone, Captain W. H. Collins, Second-Lieutenant W. A. Fraser. New Zealander: Major R. C. Wictves.

Bars to Military Cross.—Australians: Captain E. W. Cornish, Lieutenants H. W. Carlton and P. Vowels. New Zealanders: Captain [illegible] Purty, Second-Lieutenant G. R. Park.

Military Crosses.—Australians: Major H. P. Phillips, Captains W. G. Adams, L. L. Carter, H. J. Dumaresq, C. G. Judge, D. F. Middleton, W. Orchard, W. L. Smith, A. G. Stephenson, D. H. Whitehead, Lieutenants R. Argue, L. W. Barnes, S. H. Birrell, E. Boyes, H. G. Bremner, E. G. Butcher, E. C. Cribb, A. L. Davey, G. N. Dixon, R. Finlason, R. V. Fraser, H. Freeman, E. Garnett, J. Kirman, L. P. Little, W. Madeford, H. D. Maine, A. W. Manning, F. R. Martin, T. E. Miles, R. S. Moore, H. H. Morris, H. St. A. Murray, W. F. Osmond, E. D. Price, H. W. Reid, H. D. Robb, E. J. Scott, F. L. Smith, R. J. Smith, R. Stanistreet, K. D. Watson, L. S. Watts, Second-Lieutenants L. A. Boyce, W. A. Gudgeon, W. J. Howie, C. B. King, A. Littlejohn, E. Matti, R. W. F. Stevenson, L. L. Summers, Sergt.-major E. F. Vining. New Zealanders: Captains H. R. Jones, F. W. Lumsden, J. McGhie, B. McLeod, S. Rhind, S. Serpell, L. J. Taylor, Lieutenants R. E. Andrew, R. H. Baxter, T. Brown, C. A. Dickson, J. C. Maclean, E. G. Norman, Chaplain H. Clark, Second-Lieutenants R. E. Bibby, – Bongard, L. Moritzsen, and S. E. Senior.

AUSTRALIA'S SOUL.

RETURNED SOLDIERS' APPEAL

BATHURST, Monday.

The majority of the returned soldiers at the Western Red Cross Home have subscribed to a manifesto in favour of conscription. The statement contains the following:—"Our enemy is here amongst us. He is a creeping, loathsome, elusive thing, always whispering to us to vote 'No.' He is very clever, very cunning. He knows his work. By nature he is a destroyer. With his personal charm, his eloquence, his whispering voice, his clever pen, he wrecks and destroys, and never builds up again. We have seen his work in other countries, and have learned to know him. He criticises everything, but he is never able to suggest an alternative. That is his hall-mark. He talks of the 'sacredness of life' while death-dealing is his favourite pastime.

He says anything and does anything to stop a reinforcement going over to fight against his friend our enemy. He knows it is man against man, and that every man he succeeds in keeping home here is equal to sending one out on his own side. He is a German agent. He is a good agent, and does his work well for Germany, but we know him now, and we know the game, too. We have been there.

Our home-coming was very sweet, yet, it were better to have died abroad on some battlefield of glory than live in a land whose soul went bankrupt and only paid 2s in the £ on her debt of national honour. Some of us are going back. We appeal to you voters who love Australia not to let us go back there branded with the shame of the shirker, to hear those French children singing "Australia will be there" when we know she will not be there. Vote "Yes" and save us this disgrace. Only England's enemies, ignorant fools, and spineless cowards will vote "No."

"We say vote 'Yes,' do not hesitate, and when the Hun is broken, when the line sweeps forward, when French, English, Irish, Scottish, Canadian, and American bayonets gleam on the bank of the Rhine, then too, Australia will be there."

TRIAL BALLOT.

WOUNDED MEN SOLID FOR "YES."

RANDWICK HOSPITAL RESULT.

On Saturday morning the returned sailors and soldiers' universal service committee conducted a trial ballot amongst the patients in No. 4 A.G. Hospital, Randwick.

The ballot papers were on the same lines as are issued at a regular polling booth, returning officer, scrutineers, and other usual officers being appointed to check the voting and counting.

After the voting papers had been carefully checked, it was announced to the patients assembled that the result was:—

Yes	675
No	46
Informal	1
Total	722

The record of the result is signed by Captain W. F. Dunn, M.L.A., Captain Chaplain Wilson, both of the A.I.F., who represented the patients, and E. N. Litchfield, late Lieut, 3rd Battalion, representing the returned sailors and soldiers' universal service committee.

Such an overwhelming majority should convince the public that the wounded returned men believe there is need for reinforcements.

FRANCIS P. J. KILLEEN (late 19th Batt.), 28 Castlereagh-street, city.

BRISBANE, Monday.

A ballot taken by the returned soldiers who are inmates of Kangaroo Point Military Hospital on their own account resulted as follows:—

YES	202
NO	26

Absent votes (12) belonging to Rosemount Military Hospital came to hand to-day, and were all Yes.

A WOMAN'S WAR.

APPEAL BY MRS. COOK.

"General Birdwood calls for men," declared Mrs Joseph Cook, wife of the Minister for the Navy, in a speech at Parramatta. "Has the call fallen on deaf ears?" she proceeded. "The women have heard, and the women will answer. This is a woman's war. On the 20th they will stand to attention, march to the polling booth, and fire a shot in the 'Yes' square of the ballot paper with a bit of blue pencil that will develop those who failed to hear and make men of them by sending them to participate in the finest race ever run in the world's history. The women will vote 'Yes' to send a greeting on Christmas morning that will send warmth to the frozen finger tips of our hero lads, and assure them that Australia will be there."

Both the Government and Mr. Tudor were agreed, said Mrs. Cook, that we must see the war through, and do our utmost to keep Australia from the Hun. The only difference of opinion was as to the method of sending reinforcements. Mr. Tudor said they should do so by the voluntary method—continue the gentle art of persuading men to enlist, while our boys are calling urgently and holding on like grim death. The Government proved that the numbers so enlisted were inadequate to meet the urgent need for 7000 a month, and it proposed to raise by compulsion the difference between the number voluntarily enlisted and the 7000 a month required.

There was an attempt to drag religion into the contest. An arch-enemy would only do that during war. Let them eliminate the controversy of that sacred privilege altogether from this question of reinforcements. They ought, if Christianity appealed to them, be of one army, only of different regiments. Let questions affecting Ireland be settled when those brave Irish lads fighting side by side with ours returned to take their share in the adjustment. "'Now is the time,' said the Sinn Feiner," declared Mrs. Cook. "'Now is the time,' say we, to let nothing becloud our vision but the sending of reinforcements, and for the people, not Mr. Fisher, Mr. Hughes, or Mr. Tudor—the people, you—to pledge yourselves, and to put your seal upon it by voting 'Yes' upon Referendum Day."

WAR NOTES.

MILITARY OPERATIONS

Military activity on the various fronts appears to have eased off for the time being, and, although we may expect further enemy efforts both in France and in Italy, the cables suggests that he is for the moment experiencing a lull between attacks. From the British front Sir Douglas Haig has only matters of minor importance to report, though there may be something behind the enemy's raids or attempted local attacks at Villers-Guislain and La Vacquerie. These villages are situated on the south-eastern side of the salient opposite Cambrai, and, it will be remembered, were prominent in the fighting which occurred during the enemy's severe counter-attack following on General Byng's successful offensive last month. The enemy has not yet seriously tested the new British line on this salient, and, as it is perfectly plain that he has strong forces on this sector, it is not unlikely that he may make a further effort to re-establish his front in the Hindenburg line, from which he was driven at and above those points by General Byng's attack. His moves near Villers-Guislain and La Vacquerie, therefore, may have been intended to reveal the strength of the British defence at these points rather than to effect any gain of importance. There is not much doubt, however, that the British have greatly strengthened the whole of this salient since the last enemy attack, and, if the enemy commits himself to an offensive here, we may expect him to encounter a very strenuous resistance. In Italy the enemy's attacks between the Brenta and the Piave are said to have diminished in intensity. Up to the present the recently renewed operations on this side of the Brenta have not proved nearly as serious as the attacks which preceded them on the opposite side of the stream, and the Italian lines appear to be holding firmly. In Palestine the British, now that the fate of Jerusalem has been decided, are again pressing the enemy in the vicinity of the railway over towards the coast. It is probable that the British advance in Palestine may progress along this railway line in future, and that some more important fighting may occur over towards the left and left centre of the British line before very long.

EXCHANGING WOUNDED PRISONERS.

The announcement that the British and German Governments have agreed to exchange wounded and invalid war prisoners, and that three vessels are to be employed sailing under the Dutch and Red Cross flags, is to be welcomed. This is by no means the first agreement arrived at regarding the exchange of wounded prisoners of war, but it says little for our modern enlightenment and for this age of civilisation and Christianity that a considerable period was allowed to elapse before the respective belligerents were able to agree to an exchange of hopelessly wounded prisoners of war. In his book "Wounded and a Prisoner of War," by "An Exchanged Officer," the anonymous author tells of the anxious time experienced by those who had first been singled out for exchange in the earlier days of the war. "The event of the evening," he writes, "was the announcement that next morning we were to appear before a medical board, and immediately after would leave for Holland. This piece of information was received with calm. For my part I had some of the old reluctance to believe in good news, and Major D—— spoke the thought of all when he said, 'We are not yet out of the wood.' H——, the most crippled of the party, was the only optimist. . . . Our names were called and the examination proceeded in order of seniority. There was no hesitation about anyone until Captain M——was called. His case was the subject of a certain amount of guttural discussion. R.D. was the last and longest to be examined, and his fate hung in the balance. The board seemed to be of opinion that he was not to be exchanged. The discussion lasted but a few minutes, during which R.D. stood pale and with anxious eyes. They again began to question him. 'How many years' service did you say?' 'Three.' 'Can you drill troops?' 'Very little.' 'Are you qualified to teach musketry?' 'No.' Again the withered hand was examined to see if any sign of life could be found in the blue twisted fingers. I think the casting vote in R.D.'s favour was given by the senior doctor, the only one of the party who was in mufti, and one of the few really human beings I have met while in Germany."

CAILLAUX.

Recent cablegrams have referred to the keen interest which is being evinced in the case of Caillaux. M. Gustave Herve, in a late message published yesterday, is credited with having remarked that the supporters of Caillaux, by trying to save him, might wreck the Republic, while, according to a message published this morning Caillaux is said to have protested his innocence before the Parliamentary Committee recently appointed to report on M. Dubail's application for leave to court-martial him. Under the title of "Pacificist Portraits" the "New Europe" magazine some time ago referred to the peace intrigues of Caillaux, and asked:—"How came it that a former Premier of France could engage in propaganda of this kind while so large and so rich a portion of his country's soil is still in the invaders' grip?" In replying to its own question the magazine suggests that his career might suggest an answer. "Joseph Caillaux," proceeds the article, "was born in March, 1863. His father had been deputy, senator, Minister of Public Works, Minister of Finance and Chairman of the Board of the Paris-Lyons-Mediterranean Railway Company. The son inherited a talent for finance, and grew up in an atmosphere of finance, both of the public and of the capitalist order. In 1888 he entered the office of the Inspector-General of Finance and rapidly secured promotion. Within ten years he was recognised as one of the leading financial authorities in France and lectured on 'taxation' at the School of Political Science. Entering Parliament in 1898 as a 'progressive Republican,' he ranked, from the first as a man who would win a portfolio. . . . Within a year of taking his seat at the Palais Bourbon he joined the Waldeck-Rousseau Cabinet as Finance Minister. This office he held for three years, returned to it when Clemenceau became Premier, and, after refusing to serve in the succeeding Briand administration, found himself suddenly invested with the Premiership in 1911—the year of Agadir. . . . His personal elegance, the notorious irregularity of his private life, the smiling effrontery with which he changed his fiscal and political views while claiming consistency, and the cynicism of his famous confession, 'I smashed the income tax while seeming to defend it,' bewildered his friends and comforted, without quite reassuring his foes. . . . . The supposition that Caillaux has some kind of bee in his bonnet is the most charitable explanation of his acts. . . . . 'If he dares to raise his head again he will be assassinated' has for the last two years been so common a saying in France as to have become almost an article of political faith. Yet his nominees have sat in every Cabinet since the beginning of the war, and his personal friends hold other important offices. He was able to leave for Italy with a passport made out in another name, and to propound in Italy German peace ideas. Those who defend even this latest 'escapade' argue that he is seeking for the popularity which he believes to await the 'peacemaker.' Others less charitable and possibly beter informed, regard him as the mandatory of the German-Jewish high finance, of which he has so long been the ally and the

FIRE AT SURRY HILLS.

A building occupied by the Motor Radiator Company and Edward Hill and Co., furniture manufacturers, at the corner of Devonshire and Holt streets, Surry Hills, was severely damaged by fire early yesterday morning.

Mr. William Adkins, the proprietor of the Radiator Company, and his wife, who reside on the premises, were cut off by the flames, and had to make their escape by means of a ladder from a window on the first story. With the aid of three hydrants the fire brigade extinguished the outbreak.

A motor car, the property of Mr. Adkins, was totally destroyed, and the contents of the flat occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Adkins also suffered considerable damage. The aggregate loss is estimated at about £1000, and is partially covered by insurance in various companies, including the Liverpool, London, and Globe, New Zealand, and Derwent and Tamar companies.

WILL AUSTRALIA BE THERE?

THURSDAY WILL DECIDE

TEST OF THE NATION

THE ONE CLEAR ISSUE

The cry of "Food, not men," is hypocritical cant, and is raised to deceive the electors. Australia can and must send food and men.—The Prime Minister (Mr. W. M. Hughes).

Mr. Hughes says the Government guarantees the exemption of the labour necessary for rural industries and for shipbuilding.

If we do not realise that we are fighting for our lives the Germans will compel us to do so, and in a way we do not like or relish.—The Minister for the Navy (Mr. Joseph Cook).

The fight narrows itself down in reality to a choice of the two methods of compulsion—the German or ours.—Mr. Joseph Cook.

Four times on the Gallipoli Peninsula we were on the threshold of a glorious success. Four times we failed because we had not the men. In the name of righteousness, of justice, God, King, and country, think this over, and on Thursday vote "Yes."—Blind Signaller Skeyhill, at Paddington.

The chief president of the A.N.A. appeals to all natives of Australia to support the Government's proposals for the reinforcement of our five divisions in France.

The British Empire stands for everything that is best and brightest and freest in the world to-day.—Mr. C. W. Oakes, M.L.A.

A GLORIOUS CHANCE.

TO GIVE PROOF OF MANHOOD.

MR. HUGHES'S CAMPAIGN.

ALBURY, Monday.

The Prime Minister (Mr. Hughes) this afternoon addressed about 1500 persons in Her Majesty's Theatre at Wangaratta. Business was suspended during the Minister's brief stay in town so that residents could attend the meeting. At the last referendum there was a 5 to 3 majority for conscription at Wangaratta. Mr. Hughes was given an excellent reception, and there was not one hostile interjection during the whole of his speech, which occupied nearly an hour.

Mr. Hughes said they could no more obtain peace by any act of their own than they could obtain by the wave of a hand all the wealth of Golconda. It was the most mighty conflict the world had ever seen, and they might as well talk about a compromised peace as a peace between good and evil or God and Mammon. If peace was ever to come upon this earth again it could only come when the enemy of peace had been destroyed. (Loud cheers.) They were powerless to advance the day of peace by so much as a thousandth part of a minute by words. They could only get it by action. If they stood back and allowed another man to fight for liberty they would do one of two things, either put back the hands of the clock and retard the day upon which the flag of liberty would fly triumphantly on the field of battle, or else they would hand themselves over literally to be bound hand and foot to despotism. They might ask what the 5,000,000 people of Australia could do, but 7,000,000 people had saved the world. The Belgians have saved the Empire and incidentally Australia. There was no escape for Australia except by conquering this enemy of peace, and what 7,000,000 people had done in Belgium Australia could do also. The Federal Government was not asking Australia to make such heroic sacrifices as had been made by the people of Belgium. They asked them to do something which, compared with the sacrifice of Belgium, was insignificant and paltry. The part that Australia was expected to play was less than one-twentieth part of that played by France and Belgium. Yet was there any other country in the world that had been blessed with such material prosperity as had Australia? Not one. Yet Australia was in deadly peril. There was an urgent and imperative demand now for men, and while this demand was being made an indecisive battle was being waged on two battle fronts. Unless the demand for men was met and Australia did her duty their safety would be so menaced that there might be no afterwards for them. It was to make these men do their duty that Australia was asked to vote "Yes" on December 20. He did not believe that the people of Australia were going to shamefully desert those who had gone out to fight. (Applause.) When the boys at the front left Australia to fight those who would desert them now did not raise the cry about the sanctity of human life. Now, however, when reinforcements were needed to save their lives they uttered the canting, hypocritical cry about the sanctity of life. Through the heroic deeds of the Anzacs and the men of Pozieres the name of Australia was one to be conjured with, as there was nothing which man could do that the men of Anzac could not do also. The only men who could say that Australia had done enough were the men on the battle-front, but the cry was for more men to help them win through. The men who were telling them that Australia had done her share had been returned under the Fisher Government with the pledge that they would give the last man and the last shilling. If Australia could have put another 50,000 men on Gallipoli they would have been at Constantinople, and the war would have taken a different aspect. The more men the speedier the victory, and the fewer the casualties. Let them go out, and do their duty like men. What did they fear? Did they fear death? Did they think they could put off destiny or death? Nearly 300,000 men had gone, and only one in nine had fallen. There was a glorious chance to prove their manhood. Which of them would like to be branded as a coward? Which of them would not like to wear upon his breast the symbol to indicate that he had done his duty, or to wear upon his breast the sign of a despicable being. When this gust of madness had spent itself, and reason returned, they would be judged as men, and whether they were worthy of all things.

There was a large crowd on the platform when the special train stopped for a few minutes at Wodonga. Mr. Hughes did not address the gathering. Many of them cheered the Prime Minister, but gave hoots and cheers for Mr. Tudor and Dr. Mannix.

A warm welcome was extended to Mr. Hughes on his arrival at Albury.

The general opinion in Albury is that there will be an improved yes vote on Thursday. The residents have been aroused by the seriousness of the situation, and it is expected that the vote in favour of the Government's proposals will be at least equal to that of its opponents. The anti-conscriptionists had arranged an open-air demonstration in opposition to the meeting addressed by the Prime Minister at the Theatre Royal to-night, but the building was crowded, and the doors leading to a lane at the side of the theatre were opened in order that the overflow could listen to Mr. Hughes. The Prime Minister had a most enthusiastic reception when he came on the platform, and the demonstration was renewed when he rose to speak. The tumultuous welcome given to the Prime Minister was strong evidence of the improved feeling in this district towards conscription.

When the Prime Minister visited Albury last year his reception was a mixed one, but the feeling of to-night's meeting was distinctly favourable.

Mr. Hughes said the only place for fit Australians was at the side of their comrades in France, Flanders, Italy, or Palestine. They went into this war not because they provoked or invited it, but because they were flung into it. They were a peaceful people desiring only to achieve their destiny by peaceful means, but Germany had for 40 years prepared for this onslaught against the freedom of the world. She had determined to enslave freedom and to substitute militarism. Australia was one of the richest continents in the world, but they could not hold it by their own valour, but because they were one of the league of the nations which they called the British Empire, which was really not an Empire, but a federation of free people. Australia was an integral part of the Empire. If anyone touched Australia he touched Canada, New Zealand, and Great Britain. Anyone who touched Australia brought as a magician's wand around these wide-flung shores the impregnable British navy. (Loud cheers.) Where were the men on his Majesty's Australian ships? Were they around the Australian shores? No. They were with the British fleets waiting and watching and hoping that at length the rats would come out and that they would sweep them from the surface of the sea. Everyone on the Australia and the Sydney was conscripted. Yet their opponents declared that liberty was lost if the people accepted the Government's proposals, but already the crews of the Australia and the Sydney were fighting under this system. All Europe was fighting under it.

Britain, which had been the citadel of freedom throughout the ages, had deliberately decided upon conscription in order that it might slay the enemy. If Germany won the war she would not occupy Britain, but she would occupy Australia. Their only safety in this war lay in victory. Their liberty depended upon it. Did they think that if Germany won they would enjoy the franchise they had today? Did they not realise that in Germany to-day it was what the Kaiser said, and not what the people said that went? Did they not know that the German Parliament, the Reichstag, was a farce. Let Australians awake while there was yet time, and do their duty. Let them prove that they were worthy of liberty. He had a statement by Major-General Legge, who was preparing a report, showing the latest figures as to the reinforcements available. Major-General Legge declared that for the next eight months the reinforcements for the troops in France would average only 3000 a month, instead of 7000 a month. This was less than one-half of the reinforcements required at a time when Lloyd George and every man and woman in the Empire knew that unless they could get enough men on the Western front all was over for them. Yet some people were told to vote "No." The Anzacs, who had been away for three years, were still gallantly fighting. What were they going to say to their mothers, brothers, sisters, and children? If they were going to leave the Anzacs to die like dogs how would they explain their craven conduct? The Anzacs were still fighting while strong, healthy men were still in Australia, and would not do their duty. The Government had tried hard to get furlough for their hard-worked men, but until they got more men they could not get leave. Would they not vote "Yes" next Thursday and give them relief? (Loud cheers.) The Anzacs had done their duty, let the people of Australia do theirs.

The Prime Minister reiterated that if the proposals were agreed to he would carry out every pledge given by him, but he continued: "If they are not accepted I shall do whatever I have the strength to do in Australia to see that these boys are not deserted. I say to the farmers of Australia, accept the proposals, lest a worse thing overtakes you. I say to the married men, if you want to take advantage of these exemptions vote 'Yes,' lest you, too, fall under the ban." (Loud cheers.)

MR. COOK'S APPEAL.

TRIBUTE TO PRIME MINISTER

"If we don't do our duty on Thursday, history will write us down as craven."

The Minister for the Navy (Mr. Joseph Cook) addressed an enthusiastic meeting in Moore-street, city, during the luncheon hour yesterday, and no portion of his speech evoked more applause than the foregoing. A resolution in favour of the Government's proposals was carried with only two dissentients.

"The 'Yes' cause," said Mr. Cook, "is the cause of the boys in the trenches, and the reinforcements necessary to be sent there. You can cloak it up in any language you like, but that is the question to be decided. (Applause.) Are you going to do your work, or are you going to let somebody else do it for you? (Applause.) What the antis say in effect is 'send your wheat, send anything, but for Heaven's sake don't send men. (Laughter and applause.) While at lunch to-day I overheard a young man say 'they have been preparing for this second appeal to the people for the last twelve months.' I want to say that is a downright, unmitigated lie. Suppose we do keep our men at home, how shall we stand in the counsels of the world? Are we going to let our boys at the front peter out? (Voices: No.) That would be the action of a poltroon nation—(applause)—and it is the argument of a poltroon, no matter where it comes from. Any man who will let his mates die rather than go and help them is a traitor. (Applause.)

A voice: He has no British blood in him.

Mr. Cook: "That is just it. The other day I noticed on a telegraph pole, 'Vote "No" and live.' (Laughter. Interpreted, that means, 'Vote "No" and save your miserable skin.' (Applause.)

A voice: What about Ryan?

Mr. Cook: The people of Queensland will be all-right on the 20th. My advice is that things are going on very well in the northern State, and perhaps later on Mr. Ryan will realise that he might have done much better by remaining in Queensland than by heading the procession to the Domain on Sunday. (Applause.) If we don't do our duty history will write us down as craven.

A returned soldier: Mr. Cook, I arrived back yesterday, and I am convinced that the people of Sydney don't know that there's a war on. (Applause.)

Mr. Cook: That is quite right, old man. The Antis say they will fight in Australia only. (Laughter.) The fight is not here, and that is why they are so mighty anxious to get at it. (Applause.) Let me like a soldier fall against my backyard door. (Laughter.) The fight is going on—the tragedy still unfolds itself. As our soldier friend said, we here do not know there is a war on. (Applause.) The minds of many men are being poisoned. (Applause.) Australia is not the only place where the secret intelligence of the enemy is at work. (Applause.) If you vote "No" it will mean that you will be voting to let democracy die, and your social and economic ideals disappear. All democracies have to fight.

"The first conscripts in America marched through the streets with a banner inscribed: 'Selected by the nation to assist in upholding the world's democracies.' (Applause.)

"You hear every day that Billy Hughes is the personification of evil. The antis are not fighting in the war, but they are fighting Billy Hughes. (Applause.) I want to say that I have been in close contact with the brave little man for nine or ten months, and no man breathes in Australia who is more earnestly devoted to winning the war and defending Australia than the man who is so much abused. (Applause.) To show you that there is urgent need for reinforcements, only one argument should be needed, and it is this. This Government has just as much human nature as any other. I won't say it has any more, but just as much. Whenever did you see another Government putting everything to the hazard immediately after being elected by a triumphant majority? (Applause.) If we win the country gains, but we gain nothing. (Applause.) This is the time to sink our differences, not to magnify them. (Applause.) Any man who won't fight for Australia ought to quit it—he ought to get out. (Applause.) If you don't fight now and finish the job your youngsters will have to fight it out, and they may curse instead of bless you. (Applause.)

"Vote 'Yes' on Thursday. It is a duty you owe to the 40,000 brave dead who are sleeping beneath the sod. You should finish the work to which they dedicated their lives." (Applause.)

Eloquent appeals were also made by Miss Gladys Owen and Sergt. Lister, M.P.

NATIONAL SALVATION.

ONLY ONE WAY.

The Minister for the Navy addressed an orderly meeting in the Masonic Hall, Dulwich Hill, last night. Mr. Cook said:—Let us realise that we are fighting for our lives. If we do not realise it the Germans will compel us to do so, and in a way we do not like or relish.

We have become accustomed to the war and to the pages of casualties which the newspapers contain, alas, too often. It is only when some new fresh shock is given to us that we turn to the full realisation of the gravity of the situation. We must have a more thorough realisation of what is going on. We must get it into our minds that the lives of the men here, who won't go to the front, as well as those who would go, but are unable, are in danger at the present time. And it is just as well, too, to remember that those who refuse to fight now may be compelled to do so later on by the Prussian who if he conquer this country will do it without their leave.

The fight narrows itself down in reality to a choice of the two methods of compulsion—the German or ours. Meantime, the antis are shooting away with their little political pop-guns. After all, there are more important things in human life than saving the skins of men who refuse to do their duty, and who will not go to the help of their country when it is in danger. What this bogey means is just this—vote "No" and down the democracy of Australia, that system of which it has been our pride to boast and which has grown into strength and power because of the privileges it has enjoyed, and the fostering care it has received in a democratic State. Vote "No" whether they think it or not, means that they are ready to exchange this for Prussian autocracy and tyranny. It means that they are prepared to surrender an equal ballot for the political control exercised by a Prussian junkerdom. It means vote "No" and strike a blow at the great principle of equality of sacrifice, which lies at the base and root of all enduring human liberty. (Applause.) It means vote "No" and so encompass the destruction of the social and economic conditions which have been steadily built up by the workingmen of Australia. It does not even mean that they will save their skins. To vote "No" is to risk one's life and not save it. It is true in a war like this, as perhaps of no other, that he that saveth his life shall lose it. It is perhaps the most miserable, puling, craven inscription that could describe any party or organisation. But I say again, it is entirely frank and candid, and is a proper motto for many of those in the "No" camp. Democracy has always been associated with struggle and with the clash of arms. Liberty all down the ages has always been fighting for its life, and now that this great national testing time has come, these men who prate about human liberty are scurrying away from the struggle which is inevitable if it is to be maintained.

It is the duty of a citizen to defend his own country. There are people who say they are prepared to defend their country only when their soil shall have been already desecrated, when their territorial limitations have been invaded. Any old hen will do the same thing, in defence of her young. Any animal will fight and die to defend their young and their homes, when they are actually invaded and attacked. There is surely a higher view than this for the human being to take. He has other things to fight for as well as mere existence. The greatness and glory of our nation will have departed when men think only of their own miserable skins, and how they may save them. The nation's honour should be dearer than life. The reputation, the status, and the power and position of the nation in the councils of the world—these are the things which should move us with swift impulse to fight, and, if need be, to die. (Applause.)

To show the attitude of the working men of America generally, I should like to quote the words of Mr. Samuel Gompers, who stands at the head as their recognised leader. Mr. Gompers, speaking at the opening of the three days' loyalty conference at Minneapolis, on September 5, said:—

"It would be their purpose to support the Government with all the moral and material power of the working class of America. Their task should be to interpret America's democratic spirit to their fellow-workers, especially those who are foreign by birth, and to combat all propaganda which tended to weaken the loyalty and devotion of the masses. They indignantly repudiated the claim that peace propaganda had the support of the Labour movement of America. The workers of America would not prostitute the Labour movement to serve the brutal power which was responsible for the infamous rape of Belgium, the power that would subject Russia to worse despotism than the Romanoffs."

This, Mr. Cook continued, is the proper attitude. Indeed, this is the only way of safety and security for the nation. There is only one thing Australia should be doing now, and that is, fighting for its life, and for the priciples it holds dear. (Applause.) There is no other way of national salvation. To refuse to fight is to die nationally, and to die the worst of all kinds of death—the death of dishonour. (Applause.) Help is needed urgently, and it must be sent in justice to the boys, and in the interests of the safety of the Empire and our allied cause. Those who vote "No" in effect decline to send the help and to ignore the cause for which we fight. (Applause.)

The meeting was also addressed by Mr. W. E. Johnson (Speaker of the House of Representatives), and Mr. T. Hoskins, M.L.A.

UNIONISTS AND REFERENDUM DAY.

BROKEN HILL, Monday.

A mass meeting of unionists affiliated with the Trades and Labour Council was held yesterday, and it was decided unanimously to work on Thursday (Referendum Day) as usual. The Barrier Workers' Association also decided on Saturday night to work as usual if the mines are open. The A.M.A., however, met yesterday afternoon and decided not to work. About 330 men attended the meeting, and the decision not to work was carried by a majority of 32.

UNDER STRENGTH.

GENERAL BIRDWOOD'S REPORT.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

Further striking evidence of the urgent necessity for reinforcements is provided in a letter received by the Minister for Defence (Senator Pearce) from General Birdwood. Writing from the Anzac Corps, B.E.F., France, on October 16, General Birdwood said:—

"I hope to be sending you a telegram in the course of the next few days to let you see exactly how the reinforcement situation now stands, for as you will realise Major-General M'Cay is naturally in a great state of mind foreseeing his complete inability to bring our divisions up to strength in anything like the near future. Casualties, too, are now not confined almost entirely to the infantry. They used to be. I am sorry to say we have had heavy losses in all our brigade artillery, and I am unable to keep even up to strength at present."

General Birdwood's letter was written nine weeks ago, long before the present referendum was decided upon.

A.N.A. APPEAL.

EMPIRE IN DIRE PERIL.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

The chief president of the Australian Natives' Association (Mr. Davine), in the course of an appeal to his fellow Australians, states:—

"At this momentous period in the Empire's history, the people of Australia are asked to see that the five divisions of Australian soldiers who have done such gallant work in France are kept up to their full fighting strength by reinforcements. Since the foundation of Australia the Empire has never been in such dire peril. Surely no patriotic Australian, who realises the position that our boys are fighting in France, not only for freedom and democracy against Prussian militarism, but for the very existence of Australia as a free country, can refuse the appeal for the reinforcements of our Australian forces at the front.

"We should show the world that Australia does not want to quit, but will use all her resources in men and material wealth to see this war through to a glorious finish."

APPEAL TO RIFLEMEN

To the Riflemen of N.S.W.

Comrades,—

"On Thursday next we will be called upon to record our vote as to whether we will stand by our mates at the front or desert them, and from my knowledge of you I have no doubt that you will be true to the best traditions of the Australian riflemen.

"Thousands of your comrades are taking part in the greatest competition the world has ever known, and doing their utmost to prevent the German Emperor from winning the plum of the prizes—Australia—vote "Yes" to assist them.

"Many of your mates have made the supreme sacrifice, many more are still manfully fighting for our freedom, but they want help, and want it badly; you will not, I feel sure, neglect them in their hour of need, therefore

VOTE 'YES'

and use your influence to get others to do likewise."

E. J. BROWN,
Chairman National Rifle Association of New South Wales.

SOLDIERS' VOTES.

The right to vote at the referendum has been extended to all members and ex-members of the forces who are not enrolled as electors, but who are eligible to be so enrolled, or who would be so eligible if they were of the age of 21 years.

Returned members of the forces who are not enrolled as electors may vote at any polling place upon making and signing the prescribed declaration before the presiding officer.

Members of the forces who have not yet served outside Australia and who are not enrolled as electors, may vote only at polling places at the military camps in which they are being trained.

Those members of the forces who are enrolled as electors may vote only in respect of their enrolment, in the same manner as other electors.

NEED FOR MEN.

PRIME MINISTER'S APPEAL.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

"Those leading the 'No' campaign," said the Prime Minister (Mr. Hughes) before leaving for New South Wales to-day, "in the face of the almost unanimous support of the Government's proposals by the returned men, finding their efforts to persuade the people that reinforcements are not needed, now say that Australia should send food, not men. This is an audacious and hypocritical attempt to mislead the people. Let me prove it. Food in Australia will not help the Allies, it must be carried to Europe. The scarcity of shipping, not the production of more food, is the great trouble. If not another bushel of wheat is produced it would take all the ships that could possibly be diverted to Australia two years to transport what is here now to Europe. The despatch of 7000 men a month under the Government's scheme will not affect the transport of wheat and refrigerated produce. The cry of 'food, not men' is hypocritical cant. The men who raise it have lately done everything within their power to prevent the growth of food and its despatch to Britain. They left millions of bushels of farmers' wheat to rot in the rain, and called every man who dared to handle it or sell the ships that took it to Britain a 'scab.' Now they have the audacity to pose as friends of the farmer, and talk about 'food, not men.' The cry of 'food, not men,' is raised to deceive the electors. The Government's policy has been, and is, to help the farmer. It has guaranteed him 4s a bushel for the present crop, which is, owing to the lack of shipping, commercially unsalable at any price. It guarantees the exemption of the labour necessary for rural industries, and all the labour necessary for shipbuilding will be exempted from military service. Summed up, then, the cry of 'food, not men' is a hypocritical pretext. Australia can and must send food and men. The need for men is imperative, indeed desperate. To send men will not affect the sending of food.

"Farmers, be true to Australia and yourselves, and vote 'Yes.'"

SMALL CENTRES.

RESULTS NOT TO BE DISCLOSED.

Under the Commonwealth system the votes recorded at the smaller polling places will not be counted locally by the presiding officers, but will be scrutinised by the Assistant Returning Officers at the subdivision centres, and the results will be included in the subdivision totals instead of being shown separately as under the State system.

WHAT MR. RAE WOULD DO.

MR. COOK PUTS SOME QUESTIONS.

"Mr. Arthur Rae complains," said the Minister for the Navy (Mr. Cook) yesterday, "that the pro-reinforcements press does not give as much prominence to 'anti' speakers as to 'pro' speakers. He must admit that he has been given a fair run in the pro-reinforcements press. Let me call his attention to the fact that the anti-reinforcements press gives no space whatever to the other side on any occasion, or for any purpose.

"Mr. Rae is always trying to have a hit both ways. He now says, 'Mr. Cook accused me of saying we should reduce the number of Australian units at the front. I did not argue for the withdrawal of any Australian division.' But Mr. Rae goes on to say, 'I consider that course would, if inevitable, be better than the policy of conscription.' The position then is clear enough. Mr. Rae would rather withdraw divisions than introduce any form of compulsion. The alternatives are clear. Continuance of voluntarism and reduction of our fighting force on the one hand, or compulsion and full reinforcements and maintenance of our fighting force on the other hand. Mr. Rae adopts the former alternative. It is, of course, obvious that a continuance of voluntarism will make a reduction in the number of divisions inevitable.

"But Mr. Rae has gone further than in the somewhat guarded language which he uses above. He has said 'We have already passed our maximum in man power.' If Mr. Rae really holds this opinion, it means that he must necessarily hold the opinion that we have entered upon a period of decline in enlistments. This necessarily means a reduction in our fighting forces.

"So far as Mr. Rae can speak for the 'anti' party he has made it clear that they will stand by while our army dwindles and decreases, but they will never send a man against his will. Sooner than compel a single shirker to go Mr. Rae would let the Anzacs and their comrades perish. Mr. Rae has said 'It would be infinitely better to have four, or even three divisions than to bleed Australia to death.' Mr. Rae contemplates with equanimity five divisions bleeding to death until they are only three. But this, to his mind, does not matter to Australia. The necessities of the 'anti' case leave its advocates in a pitiable position from every point of view of national honour and national duty. Those of them who are not enemies of Great Britain and her Allies can hardly realise what their arguments actually mean.

"Mr. Rae says that I ignore the detailed proposals made by the opponents of conscription for securing a steady flow of enlistments by voluntary effort. I challenge Mr. Rae to point to any declaration binding the anti-conscriptionists as a body to do anything to promote volunteering. Their efforts to promote volunteering have in the past been mainly limited to organising strikes, which have prevented the despatch of food and men, passing resolutions against recruiting, refusing to display recruiting posters upon their official buildings, and abusing those men and women who have been striving their utmost to make the voluntary system a success.

"Mr. Rae, it is true, speaking carefully in the first person, said that he (Mr. Rae) would improve the pay, etc., of the soldiers 'so long as Australia is in the war,' which would lead to 'a larger flow of enlistments.' This is a bid for votes, but I can hardly credit that it will obtain any responsible official support. (Perhaps I am asking for too much in asking for some declaration binding the 'anti' party, because it is hard to say whether their leader is Mr. Ryan or the modest and self-effacing Mr. Tudor.) Mr. Rae's idea, however, as stated by himself, is that he would go on and on increasing the pay until more volunteers came. Under this system the men who had hung back from enlisting because they wanted more pay would go on waiting until they got still more pay. The longer they waited the more they would get, according to Mr. Rae. This would indeed be a novel method of improving recruiting.

"It would be impossible to give these baits to the slackers without extending them to the whole A.I.F. For how long would Mr. Rae go on offering increasing rates of pay to get volunteers? By how many millions of pounds would he increase the cost of the war before resolving that Australia should 'be in the war' no longer?

"I take leave to doubt that the single eligibles, who alone are affected by the proposals of the Government, are hanging back because they want increased rates of pay. There is no evidence whatever that this is the case. Let me suggest that it would be a finer thing if Mr. Rae showed one-half of the enthusiasm for the Anzacs that he works up over the single men who stay in Australia and let the Anzacs fight and die to protect them.

"To keep Australia for Australians, to keep Australia free, to keep Australia in a place of honour, we must support our army at the front—we must send the necessary reinforcements, and if there are not the necessary numbers steps must be taken to provide the reinforcements required. The Government proposals provide the necessary means for reinforcements. Mr. Rae admits that his party have no scheme whatever for supplying reinforcements if the volunteers offering are not sufficient.

"It is unsatisfactory to argue with a man who does not know his own case or who either ignorantly or deliberately shifts his ground from time to time. Mr. Rae said, as recently as the 10th inst., that there would be ample volunteers if Mr. Hughes were not Prime Minister, and argued that the removal of Mr. Hughes from his office would at once remove all defects. Now he says that there will not be enough volunteers unless the pay, etc., of the men is raised, and then there will be enough. Then, again, he says that to keep five divisions would be to denude the country of labour. He appears to say just what happens to suit him at the time."

THE REAL ISSUE.

"NOT HUGHES V. RYAN."

Speaking at Pondi Junction last night, Mr. W. H. Kelly referred to Mr. Ryan's visit to Sydney, which seemed primarily to aim at showing that Mr. Hughes was wrong and Mr. Ryan right in the personal matters at issue between them. But that was not the issue for the electors. The electors had to decide whether Australia was to reinforce her army or not; whether it was fair to that army to leave it unreinforced; whether it was safe, in the present temper of Europe, for Australia to turn down the Allied cause. If Mr. Hughes and Mr. Ryan both passed out to-morrow, Australia would still live on, but Australia could not continue to exist unless the present war ended in victory, and to attain that the moral endurance of the peoples behind the Allied armies was just as important as the courage and skill of those armies themselves. The "Antis" asked:—"Can Australia win the war?" The reply was, "Does any individual striker win a strike?" An individual striker could help to lose a strike by backing out at a time when solidarity of sentiment was most essential.

"The problem for the electors is not Hughes versus Ryan," added Mr. Kelly, "but Allied solidarity against enemy intrigue."

VOLUNTARY ENLISTMENTS.

TO BE CREDITED.

PERTH, Monday.

Sir John Forrest telegraphed as follows to Mr. Hughes: "Doubt is being expressed as to the meaning of two paragraphs in your Bendigo speech. (1) that ballots will be taken by the States on the basis of the proportional number of eligible persons in each State; (2) single eligible men in any district will be listed and balloted for each month to the extent needed to make up the quota for that district. Presuming that the districts in each State will be the Commonwealth electoral districts for the House of Representatives, will a State which has contributed up to the present a larger percentage of her men in proportion to population than another State cease to further contribute till that other State has contributed the same proportion of her population, that is, will regard be had to past enlistments under the voluntary system in each State in arriving at the contributions under the new scheme." Mr. Hughes has replied: "Referring to your telegram; most certainly contributions furnished by each State under the voluntary system will be considered and allowed for under the Government's scheme."

A QUESTION FOR UNIONISTS.

BRISBANE, Monday.

Mr. Tom Ryan, M.L.A., of Victoria, addressed a largely attended meeting in the Centennial Hall on Saturday night in favour of conscription. He declared that no man who believed in trades unionism could object to conscription. Men who lived on unionism might do so. Many thousands of men who were the backbone of the Labour movement would vote yes. Out of the 360 leaders in the Labour movement in Australia there were not five men who would vote no. Unionism maintained that one man should not do another man's work. "Then why, in the name of all that is just," he asked, "should one man be asked to fight for ten men?"

"GIVE US A HAND."

Mrs. Hutton, of Wharf-road, Naremburn, Crow's Nest, has received a letter from her husband in the trenches in which he says under date October 25:—

"The soldiers in the trenches are all singing a parody on the song 'The Broken Doll.' They sing 'You promised reinforcements long ago, but they are coming over very slow.' They are real wild with the stay-at-homes, I can tell you. . . You say that everyone is full up of the war. Well, I can assure you that we, who are standing the brunt of it, are more than anxious for it to end quickly, and if those men you say are full up of it would come over here and give us a hand to finish it we might be able to sleep in a feather bed and in comfort instead of sleeping another winter in snow and ice and mud in order to keep them snug. Though they are full of it, they don't do anything to stop it. . . The song of the 'Conscientious objector' would fit a lot of the loafers over there. Well, never mind, I am glad I am here, as I consider it my duty to my wife and children, as I would not like them to suffer what I have seen women and children do in these devastated villages while I had strength to strike a blow in defence."

MR. TUDOR'S APPEAL

MELBOURNE, Monday.

Mr. Tudor issued the following manifesto this morning:—

"To the People of Australia.

"On Thursday, December 20, you are asked to decide the most important question that has ever been placed before the people of Australia. I trust that you will realise the great responsibility that rests upon you, and hope that you will not be deceived by the sugar-coated policy of conscription now placed before you by the Government. Remember that the opponents of all legislation proposed by the Labour party in the interests of the working classes are fighting for conscription to-day. The introduction of conscription into Australia would open the door to sweated female and child labour, and would no doubt be welcomed by those opposed to our White Australia policy. According to a Canadian 'Hansard' this year, the employing classes of that country have already asked for permission to import Chinese labour, and I have not the slightest doubt that similar requests will be made in this country immediately the bulk of our manhood has been transported oversea. The Labour party has over and over again been charged with disloyalty; but a glance at its splendid record during past years of office will surely prove the falseness of such a charge. Most of our opponents to-day are strongly opposed to the building of the Australian navy, also the establishment of the Commonwealth harness and clothing factories and woollen mills, but not a word is now being said against the splendid work that they are all doing to assist the cause of Australia and the Empire. We were right then, and we are right today. Mr. Pearce stated in Sydney last October that under the voluntary system 313,000 men had left Australia to assist the Allies. This is truly a wonderful achievement for a country with a population of less than 5,000,000 people, situated 12,000 miles from the seat of war." He concluded by saying that it was an army of which any country might well feel proud.

Australia has done well under the voluntary system, and had the question of conscription not been introduced we would have continued to do well. We are not opposed to reinforcements for the boys at the front, but we are opposed to compulsion being used for that purpose. There is no doubt that at the present time the Allies are suffering from shortage of foodstuffs caused by the murderous attacks made by the enemy submarines upon our shipping. The seriousness of such a shortage must be faced, and Australia would, I feel sure, be best able to help by utilising the whole of her shipping in the carriage of wheat and other products to the Mother Country. Next February we will have about 6,000,000 tons of wheat, which is greatly needed by England. To allow it to remain in Australia would mean its destruction by mice and weevils. The Prime Minister fully understood the situation when he said at the Melbourne shipbuilding conference in June unless we can find means to transport our products to the markets of the world we cannot continue to produce, and we shall be faced with economical and financial disaster. It is contended that Australia is the only country in the world that has not adopted conscription, but I would like to make it quite clear that no country has ever adopted conscription. The Government in each instance brought in conscription by Act of Parliament. Australia is the only country where the question was placed before the people, who, as you know, rejected it in October, 1916, and it is to be hoped will do so again. The principle underlying the present proposals of the Government is exactly the same as that which was turned down last year.

I sincerely trust that on Thursday, December 20 you will all see that Australia is kept free for the boys when they return by recording an overwhelming majority for "No."

FRANK TUDOR, Leader of the Australian Labour Party.

THE PRESBYTERIANS

ATTITUDE OF THE CHURCH.

The Right Rev. Professor Macintyre, Moderator-General of the Presbyterian Church of Australia, on being asked what attitude the Presbyterian Church, as a whole, took upon the referendum, replied that the General Assembly of Australia, at its last meeting in Sydney, "while recognising the right of her members to exercise their individual conscience," made a clear pronouncement that "when, as in a crisis like the present the number of citizens who answer freely to their moral obligation is insufficient for the occasion, then it is the duty of the Government to take such measures as it thinks necessary," and ended by saying that "this assembly approves of an affirmative answer being given to the question of the referendum."

He added that if this was true as regards the last referendum it was still more so as regards the present modified scheme. So far as the opinion of the highest court of his Church was concerned its attitude was perfectly definite, that the duty of citizenship was a moral obligation. Professor Macintyre further added that the Presbyterian Church put forth no claim for exemption, either for her Ministers or her theological students. Some of her ministers and students had died fighting in the ranks. The Government had evidently thought it well to make certain exemptions, and there were undoubtedly strong grounds for making exemption for ordained ministers, as many of these were required for chaplaincy duty; but personally he was not in favour of exemption for students, and he had not made any claim on their behalf.

The Church considered that every citizen, ordained or unordained, had his duty to discharge, and they left it to the Government to say whether here or abroad.

UNAUTHORISED MEETINGS.

Ex-Senator J. T. Walker writes:—"Under the heading 'No-Conscription Campaign' an advertisement appears as follows:—'Miss Walker's Hospital, Concord, Parramatta River, 2 p.m.: George Saunders, Mr. H. Schrimshaw (returned soldier).'

"The committee of the Thomas Walker Convalescent Hospital were neither asked for permission nor was permission granted to hold such a meeting, and, on seeing the advertisement I sent a telephone message to the matron forbidding the use of the hall or the grounds for any such meeting. Further comment is unnecessary."

THE PRISONERS—A CONTRAST.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—In 1868 an English army of 32,000 men marched to Magdala, Abyssinia, through savage country, to release about a dozen people made prisoners by King Theodore. We have thousands of prisoners in German hands suffering the tortures of the damned. Forced to work, half starved, under fire, helping Germans, prodded with bayonets if they straighten their tired backs, spat upon, and tortured as only German hate can do these things. Is it really true that Australian men and women will vote "No" on the 20th? Refuse to send help that will shorten the misery of the imprisoned men! Am I dreaming,—or has all the world gone mad? I am, etc.,

ALBERT DAWSON.

North Dorrigo, Dec. 14.

DR. MANNIX AND BELGIUM.

REPLY TO MR. HUGHES.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

Archbishop Mannix, in the course of an address at Croxton Park to-night, said he desired to give an emphatic denial to a statement made by the Prime Minister at Castlemaine. Mr. Hughes had stated that he (Dr. Mannix) had never contributed one penny towards the relief of the Belgian nuns and people. That was absolutely untrue. He had not the same resources at his command as the Prime Minister, but he ventured to think that out of his own slender resources he had done more to help the Belgian people than what Mr. Hughes had done.

Referring to the promises made by the Prime Minister, Dr. Mannix stated that the public could place no reliance whatever in them, as Mr. Hughes was largely the puppet of Sir William Irvine, who was regarded as one of the great strong men in Australia to-day. It was said that Sir William Irvine never changed his mind. He was not a Prussian born, but he would remain a Prussian to the end. He had the characteristics that were found in Prussians. This man calmly and deliberately stated that if a "No" verdict was given he would flout the will of the people. He (Dr. Mannix) thought that the free Australians would safeguard their own interests, irrespective of Sir William Irvine.

"WE HAVEN'T GOT THE MEN."

SIGNALLER TOM SKEYHILL'S TEXT.

Signaller Tom Skeyhill delivered an impassioned address in the Paddington Town Hall last night in an appeal for more men for the fighting line. "We have lost battles in the past," said he, "because we hadn't enough men. Go back to 1914, go back to the Marne, go back to Neuve Chapelle, to Kut el Amara, go back to all the battles in France, go back to Gallipoli, and we shall see that all our troubles have been through not having enough men. Had we had enough men in the first year of the war we could have made our attacks more systematic, we could have struck harder, we could have broken the German lines, but we never had enough men. The result was that when we were attacking in the west the Russians were not attacking in the east; when the Russians were attacking in the east we were not attacking in the west—because we never had enough men. At Loos we attacked the enemy and broke his defences. We went on for a certain distance, then we had to dig in, and the enemy brought up his reserves and broke us. That cost us 60,000 casualties. It was the same when the French tried to break through at the Champagne; it was the same in the Italian sector—every time we attacked we broke the enemy's defences, but we had not enough men to go on. We had to dig in, then the enemy reinforcements came up, and we lost what we had gained.

You may depend upon it we are up against it on the Western front, but we can win if we put every available man into the line, if we leave those who cannot go to look after things at home, if we leave to the women the duty of producing luxuries and comforts for the men, and even the children will have to help. The war will be won in the air, and we hear the "Antis" say that America will have 50,000 aeroplanes. That will be enough to rout the Germans, but it is impossible to make them in time for next year. Every machine has to be made out of the best selected materials, and even when we have got them made the airmen will have to be trained. We must have men; it is men we want, and, in the name of righteousness, justice, God, King, and country, I ask you to think it over, and on Thursday to vote Yes. (Loud and continued cheering.)

WOMEN AND THE FLAG.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

Every seat in the Town Hall was filled this afternoon, when the Women's Grand Union Jack rally took place. Women from every walk in life took part. Each woman on entering the hall, and presented with either a small Union Jack or an Australian flag, and these materially helped in the demonstration. The entrance of Mrs. W. M. Hughes (wife of the Prime Minister), who presided at the meeting, was the signal for a burst of cheering and flag waving. Every time the name of the Prime Minister occurred it was greeted with overwhelming cheers. The concluding scenes were no less enthusiastic than those of the beginning, and Mrs. Hughes, who stood on the platform, was in danger of being pulled over by the eager women who desired to shake her hand. The meeting pledged itself by resolution, at the instance of Mrs. Hughes, to secure an affirmative vote at the referendum.

THE MINERS.

AN IMPORTANT DEPUTATION.

An important deputation of the Miners' Federation waited upon the Premier and Mr. Beeby yesterday afternoon to discuss the question of grievances and the establishment of a firm basis of future industrial peace in the coal fields. The principal speakers were Mr. Baddeley and Mr. Willis.

Mr. Baddeley stated that between 200 and 300 members of the federation had been victimised for the alleged reason that they were I.W.W. men. Amongst the number were men who had lost their sons at the front, and had been employed at the mines for 20 or 30 years. Some who had gone to Queensland were refused work there also.

Mr. Aubin: We can give you a list that we got from our districts. For the first fortnight it cost the federation something like £8000 in pay to these men.

The Premier: Some of those men are now out through an industrial mishap, and are not on the same footing. How many men are affected as the result of the strike? You have said 300. Do you stand to that now?

Mr. Aubin: That is right, about 300 or 250.

Mr. Beeby: Supposing we put these men back; what guarantee have we got that we shall have permanent peace?

Mr. Aubin: We have already revised our rules to give power to fine men responsible for bringing about stoppages. Those rules have been lodged with the Federal Court, and revised at the request of Mr. Justice Higgins. We have already fined men as our minutes will show.

Mr. Beeby: Supposing we had some co-ordinated system of conciliation which begins at the pit of the dispute, and goes through to the Courts, are you prepared to settle down to some system of that sort? You would always have your appeal to the Federal Court on principles. Whenever any trouble occurs the Commissioner will be available at 24 hours' notice. It may be some trivial pit matter which four sensible men can settle in five minutes.

Mr. Beeby added that the second proposal was a distinct matter, such as the general rate to be fixed for tops or anything else that affected the district. The Federation would appoint its members, say, three for each district. Then over and above there would be the Commissioner—the same Commissioner who would decide the pit matters. There would also be the Coal Court, which would each year fix the hewing rate. The district committee would deal with the conditions of trade generally. While the war was on Judge Edmunds' orders would not be interfered with—nothing lower would be paid. The Commissioner might give more. But nothing less would be paid than under the Judge's award. Small matters would come before the committee. The Coal Court would deal with the big questions. And on top of these there would be the right of appeal to the Federal Court.

The Premier: The difficulty is you may have no trouble. But you are so ready to take up other people's troubles. There may be trouble in some other industry, and you may carry a resolution to come out and assist in a matter not affecting your interests.

Mr. Willis: If something happens we are not infallible. But we can see no reason and we have no reason, to believe there would be any stoppage of the miners in sympathy with any one else—certainly not the railway men.

Mr. Beeby: Supposing we can arrange for a large percentage of these men to be reinstated, taking their ordinary chance at the pit. What then? Suppose we said to-morrow: "All men can go back."

Mr. Willis: I am satisfied the machinery would be accepted.

The Premier: We are prepared to go a long way to secure peace. We do not want to have any permanent source of irritation. Unfortunately our Labour experiments in legislation have been complicated by those who do not want arbitration at all. You are tainted with being a militant union and not wanting arbitration and not abiding by it when you do have it. The arbitration system is not perfect. But if every time a defect is found you have young fellows saying: "Let us have no more arbitration," you lead to a division in the ranks such as has taken place in the Labour movement during the last three or four years. Meanwhile, what I personally believe to be a true road has been abandoned. We are prepared to continue on that road so far as you will follow us. We are where we were in 1912. We are prepared to leave the right to strike. But we do say it must be either one thing or the other. If you come into the Arbitration Court you must abide by the award. We are prepared to legislate on those lines in January, and we will give the State the best Act in the world.

LEAGUE OF LOYALTY.

DEMONSTRATION IN TOWN HALL.

DR. MANNIX AND "IRELAND FIRST."

A demonstration, under the auspices of the Australian League of Loyalty, was made in the Town Hall last night. The body of the hall was comfortably filled, while the galleries were practically deserted. Strong speeches were made affirmative of Australia's loyalty to the British Throne and person, and in favour of conscription. The introduction of the sectarian element was denounced.

Rev. Captain Chaplain Colwell, who presided, moved:—"That this meeting affirms its unswerving loyalty to the King and to the Empire, and its entire conviction of the righteousness of the cause of the Allies; and declares that nothing less than a complete victory in the present war will ensure the safety of the nation, the preservation of our liberties, and the continued enjoyment of this fair land to us and to our children." He said such a resolution should be heartily endorsed by every loyal citizen in the State. But he was afraid there were a great many people who would not subscribe to it. Referring to their Majesties the King and Queen, he said, their courage, integrity, personal, and national honour were unimpeachable. They would say to any who were not loyal to King George to-day that the sooner they got out of Australia the better. They had no time for them, and hoped to be able to keep all disloyalists in order in the future. Thank God, the Empire was as one to-day. It would stand as one, and if it went down, which he did not believe for one moment, then they would go down together. They were fighting for the liberty and freedom, not alone of their own Empire, but for the world. (Applause.) Despite the fact that thousands of the bravest of Australians had died for King and Empire, the Domain could be crowded any Sunday with a lot of burly eligibles, prepared to shout "No," and to wear "No" badges.

"We believe in a white Australia," he said. "But we shall have to enlarge our ideals somewhat when this war is over. In India—a loyal part of the Empire—they had 300,000,000 of people, and the fact was that seven out of eight people in the British Empire to-day were coloured. A white Australia, yes, but we must think imperially, and remember the great loyalty of other sections of the Empire. No Briton believed in conscription. But what are we to do? We must fight for the Empire or lose it. We want conscription in Australia to-day, because we want to stand by the Empire." (Applause.)

Mr. C. W. Oakes, M.L.A., said the more he knew of British history the more he felt that every man had a right to feel warmly on this subject of British loyalty. That one little piece of Europe which was coloured red on the map stood for the British Empire, and ruled one-fifth of the world. England's Empire stood for everything that was best and brightest and freest in the world to-day. The flag of England stood for liberty wherever it was flown. It was that aspect of British rule which held, as with a band of steel, the loyalty of India's 300,000,000 people. Australia was to-day the richest gem of the earth, held only by a paltry 5,000,000 people. And yet in 1856 they asked for self-government in Australia. And, whilst it was granted, England asked for no concessions, no restraints, and insisted upon none. Every hour of the time since Australia had been guaranteed absolute immunity by the power of the British fleet. The present issues were grave, and he urged all present to act as missionaries in furtherance of a "Yes" vote on Thursday.

The motion was declared carried unanimously.

"SECTARIAN INFLUENCES."

To Mr. R. B. Orchard, M.P., was entrusted the following motion:—"That the intrusion of unpatriotic sectarian and class influences at this crisis of our history is calculated to interfere with Australia's fulfilling her solemn pledge to the Empire, and we therefore call on all loyal citizens, irrespective of class or creed, to unite in the utmost endeavour to secure the necessary supplies of men and means to meet and overcome the grave menace of our foes." He said that if ever there was an occasion to stand with the Empire it was the present; yet we found in our midst men who were wilfully blind to the dangers that threatened us. The activities of the various associations connected with the Roman Catholic Church had for some time past been viewed with the utmost concern by the rest of the community. Had the activity been directed to recruiting efforts and patriotic movements, one would have been prepared to work in hearty co-operation with his fellow citizens. Many loyal Roman Catholics had admittedly worked patriotically in these directions, but invariably they had been confined to those who had ungrudgingly given their sons to fight for the Empire. But there were others in the rank and file who had been strenuously opposed to the recruiting movement, and who were now even more vigorously opposed to compulsory enlistment. It was always "Ireland." "Dr. Mannix said that Australia should be first. But they knew that, in his heart of hearts, he meant Ireland should be first. (Loud applause.) We were heartily tired of hearing these whines about the wrongs of Ireland. Why did those patriots who were filled with ardour and zeal for their native land ever leave it if she had such wrongs—(applause)—instead of creating discord in our land? Although Dr. Mannix was in Australia they knew he was placing the land of his birth before Australia.

"Why don't they hang him?" cried a voice.

Mr. Orchard said it was not Home Rule, but an Irish Republic, that the Sinn Feiners were after. This was the foul weed that was springing up in Australia, with Ryan, of Queensland—(hoots)—as one of its cultivators. Why all this activity of the Sinn Fein movement? Were they endeavouring to do in Australia what they failed to do in Ireland? (Voices: "Yes.") Why all this hostility to sending their boys to fight with the brave fellows at the front?

Mrs. E. Vickery explained the objects of the league, and appealed for support in furtherance of its work.

The Rev. C. H. Talbot, in seconding the motion, said that more Roman Catholics were going to vote "Yes" on Thursday than they imagined. There was no room for disloyalty or for unpatriotic sentiments that would hinder a single man from doing his duty. (Applause.)

The motion was carried unanimously.

On the motion of the Rev. H. S. Begbie, thanks were accorded to the chairman and other speakers, and also to the Salvation Army for its musical programme, proceedings closing with the National Anthem and cheers for the men at the front, and for the Government's referendum proposals.

WHY DID THEY BACK DOWN?

MR. S. W. THORNTON'S MEETINGS.

Mr. S. W. Thornton, who has just returned from Queensland, where he addressed largely-attended meetings at Brisbane and Toowoomba, delivered an effective address at Exeter on Friday night last in favour of the reinforcements referendum. On Mr. Thornton arriving at Exeter an arrangement was made with anti-conscription leaders from Moss Vale, who were also intending to hold a meeting the same evening at Exeter, that a joint meeting should be held, each side to be given an opportunity to express its views, and then debate the question. On arrival at the hall the "Noes" endeavoured to prevent Mr. Thornton from speaking, but Mr. Elsmore, secretary of the local Labour league at Exeter, who was in the chair stated that as they had given their word that Mr. Thornton should speak he was determined that whatever happened Mr. Thornton was going to speak. Mr. Thornton thereupon addressed the meeting. The "anti" speakers, refusing to speak on the same platform as Mr. Thornton, or to debate the question of the referendum in any shape or form, held a meeting outside the hall. Mr. Thornton is quite sure that his visit to Exeter has been the means of securing quite a large support for the Government proposals that would otherwise have been given to the "anti" movement.

Mr. Thornton, Chapin-Captain Wilson, and Mr. Owen Gilbert, ex-M.L.A., spoke in the Parramatta Town Hall last night. Mr. Thornton will address a meeting at Crookwell to-night, and at Goulburn to-morrow night.

PALACE EMPORIUM COMFORTS FUND.

At the King's Hall, Hunter-street, last evening, Mr. J. H. Harris, managing director of Anthony Hordern and Sons, Ltd., entertained contributors to the Palace Emporium Soldiers' Comforts Fund at a cinematograph exhibition, at which he welcomed home several of the 41 employees who had returned from the front. The hall was nearly full. A large number of interesting films were screened, and several glees were sung by the Palace Emporium Glee Club. During an interval Mr. Harris explained that the fund was inaugurated in April last, since when 565 parcels of comforts had been forwarded to employees of the firm on active service. Each parcel was valued at 18/. Besides these, over 800 pairs of socks and other articles of clothing had been sent. The total amount collected had been £673, of which £513 had been expended.

UNION FUNDS.

ANTI-CONSCRIPTION ALLOTMENT.

An ex parte application was made yesterday before his Honor Mr. Justice Harvey by Mr. J. A. Browne (instructed by the Crown Solicitor), on behalf of James Edward Allen and other members of the Australian Bookbinders and Paper Rulers' Federated Association (N.S.W. branch), excepting the personal defendants and others who voted for a resolution allotting £100 of the union funds to the anti-conscription campaign. The defendants are the following officials of the union:—Cecil Herbert Gorton, secretary; John Burden, treasurer; Joseph Gallagher, president; and Frederick Thornton and John Thomson, trustees.

The statement of claim and affidavits in support thereof set out that the union had about £200 in a bank to its credit. The notice for an extraordinary general meeting stated that the business would be,—"That the association considers the following recommendation from the Anti-conscription Congress:—'That all unions in favourable circumstances vote as much as their funds will allow, and, in addition, call for a voluntary levy of 5/ a week from each member during the campaign.'" A recommendation from the executive was that, failing the levy, £100 be given to the anti-conscription campaign.

The chief plaintiff, J. E. Allen, said that at a meeting held on November 17 about 39 persons were present. The resolution that £100 be allotted to the anti-conscriptionists, was carried by about 28 votes to 11. Being advised by the plaintiffs of this vote, the Crown Solicitor wrote to the secretary on the 10th instant to the effect that if the proposal were persisted in application would be made to the Court to restrain the allotment. The secretary of the union next day replied that he was "unaware of any law that entitled the Crown to make any inquiry into the conduct of the business of any trade union." Detective Jordan deposed that the defendant Burden (treasurer) had told him that he had handed a cheque for £100 to P. C. Evans, secretary of the Political Labour League.

The plaintiffs prayed that the Court would restrain the defendants from making any further similar payments out of the union funds, and that the defendants be ordered to repay the £100 already paid over.

His Honor granted an interim injunction as asked till to-morrow, with leave to apply for its continuance.

CHARGES AGAINST MR. CATTS.

LEAVE TO APPEAL REFUSED.

In the High Court yesterday, before Mr. Justice Barton, Mr. Justice Isaacs, Mr. Justice Duffy, and Mr. Justice Rich, Mr. Sheridan (instructed by Mr. A. C. Roberts) moved, on behalf of James Howard Catts (proposed appellant) for a rule nisi for a prohibition to be directed against Gordon Murdoch (an officer of the Military Police) and William M'Pherson Macfarlane, S.M., restricting them from proceeding on a conviction of the appellant in the Central Police Court on December 7, for a breach of Regulation 28 under the War Precautions Regulations. The speech, said Mr. Sheridan, was delivered at Inverell on November 20, and in it the appellant made certain statements, which were the subject of the prosecution. Appellant was convicted of having made statements in that speech likely to prejudice the relations between his Majesty and a foreign Power. Assuming that the statements were made, he held there was no evidence on which the magistrate could convict. Further, there was no evidence that these statements were likely to prejudice our relations with that country.

After further argument, the Court unanimously refused leave. In delivering judgment, Mr. Justice Barton said: The question was really whether there was evidence sufficient to warrant the magistrate in taking the course he did. No one could read the utterances described in this information as to the facts—and as to the facts of their deliverance there was admission—without coming to the conclusion that, to say the very least of them, it was not an unreasonable thing that the magistrate should say they tended or were calculated to prejudice foreign relations.

Mr. Justice Isaacs, Mr. Justice Duffy, and Mr. Justice Rich concurred.

SCOTTISH WOMEN'S WAR HOSPITALS.

Mrs. Elizabeth Abbott is appealing to New South Wales to raise a sum of twenty thousands pounds in aid of the above hospitals, for wounded soldiers. The hospitals have been responsible for saving thousands of lives in France, Servia, Roumania, Salonica, and Monastir. Their work, which is carried on without regard to creed or nationality, has earned world-wide praise. The women doctors, nurses, stretcher-bearers, chauffeurs, and orderlies have undergone the greatest hardships and privations in their errand of mercy, including all the horrors of the Servian and Dobrudja retreats. A number of them, including their heroic founder, Dr. Elsie Inglis, have given up their lives in the work.

Lord Methuen wrote, concerning the Servian unit:—"It is not in my power to express my gratitude sufficiently for the help given me by the Servian unit. They leave here blessed by myself, surgeons, nurses, and patients alike." After the Gallipoli landing, they cared for many of the Australian wounded, and their work has been so successful that it has had to be extended very considerably. Three Australian ladies, Dr. Agnes Bennett, of Sydney, and Dr. Lillian Cooper, and Miss Bedford, of Brisbane, are on the staffs of the hospitals. The S.W.H. are now responsible for some two thousand beds on the various fronts, including a large hospital in the French firing line, and a hospital of 500 beds at Salonica, officially attached to the French expeditionary force.

The greater part of the English-speaking world has raised large sums in aid of the S.W.H. Queensland has just raised £7000. Now New South Wales is being asked to help.

	£	s.	d.
Amount previously acknowledged	3,225	0	6
Presbyterian Ladies' College, Croydon and Pymble	25	0	0
J.K.M.	25	0	0
Mullens and Co.	10	10	0
C. E. R. Murray	10	10	0
A. S. McColl	10	0	0
Mrs. C. Aitken	5	5	0
H. S. P. Storey	5	5	0
Alexander Bruce	5	5	0
Andrew Bowman	5	5	0
W. Cooper	5	5	0
S. McCall-McCowan	5	0	0
E. C. Phillips	5	0	0
Mrs. Merewether	5	0	0
D. Charters	5	0	0
Charles Wm. Hay	3	3	0
G. Binnie	3	3	0
Mrs. Dalglish	2	2	0
Mrs. J. M. Walker	2	2	0
G. Baker	2	0	0
And smaller amounts, making a total to date of	£3,378	14	0

Contributions should be addressed to the hon. treasurers, Messrs. J. Russell French and H. H. Massie, 89 Phillip-street.

KIDDIES' CHRISTMAS DAY.

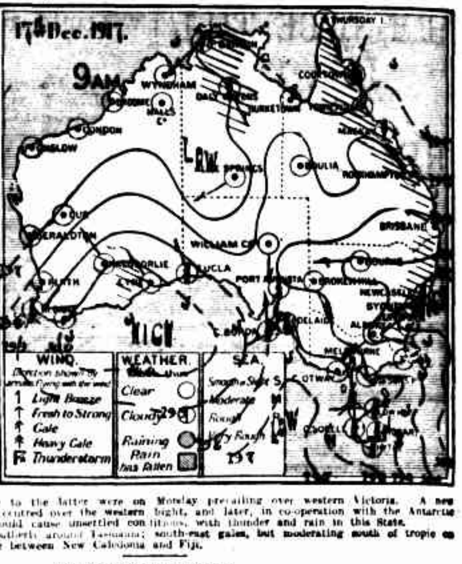
The Governor-General and Lady Helen Munro Ferguson have consented to be present at the Show Ground to-morrow, on the occasion of the entertainment for soldiers and sailors' children. The official opening will be performed by the Governor-General at 2.30 p.m. The organisers state that a considerable sum of money is still required to make the effort a success, and they rely upon the generosity of the public to see that the children of the country's fighting men do not lack the good things of Christmas because of the self-sacrifice of their fathers. Returned soldiers in uniform will be admitted through the turnstiles without tickets, and those who have undertaken to assist are asked to report to Mr. A. R. H. Wright, marshal of parades, at the iron gates of the Show Ground, opposite the old Zoo, at 12 noon. Souvenir boxes of food will be distributed amongst the children on entering the grounds, and babies in arms will be catered for at No. 9 booth. In the Royal Agricultural Hall there will be a distribution of toys.

The hon. treasurers, Messrs. Claude H. Reading, Eric Lloyd Jones, and C. A. Le M. Walker, 115 Pitt-street, acknowledge with thanks the following subscriptions:—

Amount already acknowledged, £611/7/6; Suspension Bridge Parents and Citizens' Association, £3/3/; J. R. French, £5 5/; "Sun" employees, per Miss B. S. F. Goode, £10; Mrs. Crawford, £3/15/; Russell Sinclair, £2/2/; employees David Jones and Co., Ltd., £5 10/; Burns, Philp, and Co., £2/2/; H. Gorman, £2/2/; Mrs. Ben. Richards, £2/2/; "Anonymous," £2/2/; officers Bank of New South Wales, per D. R. Holmes, £2/9/6; W. G. Jira, £5/5/; J. H. Smith, Ltd., £2/2/; Mrs. Julia Richards, £2; O. E. Friend, £5/5/; J. H. Smyth, Ltd., £2/2/; Mrs. Ben Richards, £2/2/; "Anonymous," £2/2/; officers Bank of New South Wales, per V. F. Holmes, £2/9/6; W. G. Jira, £5/5/; Mrs. Julia Richards, £2; O. E. Friend, £5/5/; Lysaght Bros., Ltd., £5/5/; G. Fred. Birks, £2/2/; Arthur Rickard, £2/2/; A. J. Milson, £2/2/; Bank of Australasia, £10; John Walker and Sons, £5/5/1 Army Service C. C. Fund, £3/3/; Australia Hotel Staff, £3/16/1; Moritz Gotthelf, £2/2/; N.S.W. Railways and Tramways War Fund, £25; Miss K. Gow, £2/11/; C. H. R. Maclean, £2/2/; staff of Liverpool, London, and Globe Insurance Co., £3/16/4; employees James Sandy, £2/2/6; Burroughs, Wellcome, and Co., £5; Dr. Kane, £2/2/6; Parke, Davis, and Co., £5; Lindeman, £2/2/; J. B. Carey, £3/3/; Mrs. J. B. Carey, £2/2/; Sir Herbert Maitland, £5/5/; J. W. McGregor, £5/5/; Gibbs, Bright, and Co. (second contribution), £5/5/; Public Works Dept., per Daphne Browne, £2/16/10; and smaller amounts, making the total, £863/19/8.

AUSTRALIAN WEATHER.

THE "HERALD" MAP.



The various pressure systems worked eastward rather rapidly over Australia during the 48 hours ended at 9 a.m. on Monday. Some alteration occurred in the general distribution, so that at 9 a.m. on Monday high pressure was the predominant weather control. Consequently, fine weather, marked by sultriness, was mostly experienced, excepting in parts of tropical Queensland, at Darwin, and a few isolated places in eastern New South Wales, where light rainfall resulted, excepting on the north Queensland coast. In the latter area heavy amounts were recorded. High pressure still, however, lingers over the south-east states, its presence being associated with the increasing heat and sultriness, which should culminate in scattered rain and thunderstorms, and possibly some hail in various parts. The easting since Saturday has transferred the preponderating depression from Western Australia to the eastern bight, where apparently it has lost much of its identity as a cyclone, being shown as an Antarctic disturbance. Squally northerly winds due to the latter were on Monday prevailing over western Victoria. A new high had on Monday become centred over the western bight, and later, in co-operation with the Antarctic and monsoonal influences, should cause unsettled conditions, with thunder and rain in this State.

Ocean Forecast.—Fresh southerly around Tasmania; south-east gales, but moderating south of tropic on Queensland coast; disturbance between New Caledonia and Fiji.

METEOROLOGICAL REPORTS.

Commonwealth Weather Bureau, Monday.

SYDNEY RAINFALL.

Average annual for 58 years, 4801 points.

Average for 58 years, from January 1 to end of November, 4445 points.

Total from January 1, 1917, to date, 5178 points.

Total for corresponding period of 1916, 4457 points.

Barometer.—9 a.m., 30.119; 3 p.m., 30.092; 9 p.m., 30.120.

Temperature. 9 a.m., 75.5; 3 p.m., 75.8; 9 p.m., 68.9; maximum 77.2, minimum 61.6.

Humidity. 9 a.m., 56 per cent.; 3 p.m., 60 per cent.; 9 p.m., 90 per cent.

Wind.—Greatest velocity, 24 miles from the NE, at 4 p.m.

TEMPERATURES.

(For the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m.)

Adelaide, max. 103, min. 71; Melbourne, 93, 70; Brisbane, 76, 63; Hobart, 88, 67.

BAROMETERS AT 9 A.M.

Eucla 29.98, Streaky Bay 29.90, Adelaide 29.84, Robe 29.85, Portland 29.87, Melbourne 29.94, Wilson's Promontory 29.93, Cape St. George 30.10, Sydney 30.12, Newcastle 30.13, Port Macquarie 30.12, Clarence Heads 30.09, Brisbane 29.97, Rockhampton 29.84, Mackay 29.78, Cooktown 29.65.

COASTAL REPORTS AT 6 P.M.

Tweed Heads, ESE, strong, cloudy, heavy sea; Byron Bay, SE, fresh, cloudy, sea moderate; Ballina, E, strong, fine, sea heavy; Clarence Heads, SE, fresh, cloudy, sea rough; Bellinger Heads, NE, light, cloudy, bar moderate; Nambucca Heads, E, light, fine, sea smooth; Port Macquarie, NE, light, fine, sea slight; Manning Heads, NE, moderate, fine, sea moderate; Nelson's Bay, NE, light, fine, sea smooth; Newcastle, NE, strong, fine, sea slight; Lake Macquarie Heads, NE, strong, fine, sea rough; Catherine Hill Bay, NE, strong, fine, sea rough; South Head, NE, fresh, fine, sea slight; Wollongong, NE, strong, fine, sea moderate; Kiama, NE, strong, fine, sea rough; Crookhaven Heads, NE, strong, fine, sea moderate; Jervis Bay, NW, fresh, fine, hazy, sea slight; Ulladulla, NE, fresh, fine, sea slight; Bateman's Bay, NE, light, fine, sea moderate; Moruya, NE, strong, cloudy, sea slight; Eden, NE, strong, fine, sea moderate; Gabo Island, NE, moderate gale, squally, misty, sea moderate.

FORECAST FOR N.S.W. AT 9 P.M.

Hot, sultry conditions generally, broken by scattered rain and thunderstorms, squally northerly wind, a cool southerly change shortly affecting the western districts, and spreading eastward to the coast; squally, with disturbed sea on the extreme north coast.

INTERSTATE FORECASTS AT 9 A.M.

Victoria.—Hot and sultry, with occasional thunderstorms and northerly winds, followed by cool southerlies in the south, first affecting the west coast.

Queensland.—More rain and thunderstorms in the east and peninsula, elsewhere fine and hot; south-east to north-east winds; strong to gales on the coast south of tropic.

South Australia.—Temporarily sultry and thundery in the east, with north winds, but cool southerly later over settled areas, with clouds, and near the coast showers; more thunderstorms in Territory.

Western Australia.—Fine, with rising temperatures and east to north winds. No data north from the tropic.

Tasmania.—Cool fresh to strong southerly; showery at scattered places.

INTERSTATE RAINFALL REGISTRATIONS.

(For the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m.)

Western Australia.—Balladonia 20 points.

South Australia.—Darwin 229 points, Daly Waters 8.

Queensland.—Thursday Island 142 points, Mein 305, Cooktown 75, Port Douglas 72, Cairns 86, Cardwell 401, Townsville 182, Bowen 4, Mackay 250, St. Lawrence 78, Rockhampton 255, Brisbane 14, Georgetown 33, Bundaberg 5, Palmerville 102, Innisfail 836, Portland 20, Herberton 94, Mt. McConnell 11, Nebo 62, Clermont 120, Emerald 82, Taroom 29, Twin Hills 67, Mt. Morgan 46, Gladstone 208, Toowoomba 3, Stanthorpe 1.

Tasmania.—Eddystone 1 point.

ASTRONOMICAL MEMORANDA FOR DECEMBER 18.

Sydney Observatory, Monday.

Sun rises 4.39, sets 7.4; Moon, 8.25 a.m., 10.2 p.m.; Mercury, 6.7 a.m., 8.33 p.m.; Venus, 8.12 a.m., 10.4 p.m.; Mars, 11.24 p.m., 11.34 a.m.; Jupiter, 5.11 p.m., 3.27 a.m.; Saturn, 10.0 p.m., 8.34 a.m.

High water at Fort Denison, 11.3 a.m., 11.27 p.m.

SHIPPING.

COASTAL AND INTERSTATE.

ARRIVALS.—December 17.

Katoomba, s, 9424 tons, Captain Beddie, from Western Australian ports, via Adelaide and Melbourne. McIlwraith, McEacharn Co. Pty., Ltd., agents.

Aramac, s, 2114 tons, Captain Smith, from Townsville, via ports. Burns, Philp, and Co., Ltd., agents.

Buninyong, s, 2070 tons, Captain Macrae, from Brisbane. Howard Smith, Ltd., agents.

Moira, s, 2184 tons, Captain Williams, from Melbourne. Burns, Philp, and Co., Ltd., agents.

Wyreema, s, 6338 tons, Captain Grahl, from Melbourne. Burns, Philp, and Co., Ltd., agents.

COASTWISE.—Burringbar, s, from the Richmond River; Jap, s, from the Nambucca River; Duroby, s, from Newcastle; Illaroo, s, from Catherine Hill Bay; Tambar, s, from the North Coast; Bermagui, s, Benandra, s, and Comboyne, s, from the South Coast.

DEPARTURES.—December 17.

Meeinderry, s, for Newcastle.
Mathew Flinders, dredge, for Melbourne.
Wakatipu, s, for Launceston.
Woolgar, s, for Newcastle.
Aramac, s, for Melbourne.

PROJECTED DEPARTURES.—December 18.

Buninyong, s (cargo only), for Brisbane and Rockhampton; Wyreema, s, for Queensland ports; Kincheia, s, for the Macleay River; Wollongbar, s, for Byron Bay, via Newcastle; Yulgilbar, s, for the Macleay River; Pulganbar, s, for the Clarence River; Burringbar, s, for the Richmond River; Our Jack, s, for the Nambucca River, Fitzroy, s, for Coffs Harbour and Woolgoolga; Erringhi, s, for the Hawkesbury River (all parts); Hunter, s, for Newcastle; and Kallawatta, s, for the Hawkesbury River.

STEAMER DUE TO-DAY.

Nardoo, from Adelaide.

CLEARANCE. Dec. 17.

Woolgar, s, 3071 tons, Captain Roy, for Newcastle.

NEWCASTLE CLEARANCES.

NEWCASTLE, Monday.

The following steamers were cleared at Customs-house to-day: Time, s, for Wallaroo and Port Pirie; Melbourne, s, and Alabama, s, for Melbourne; Leura, s, for Warrnambool; Taviuni, s, for Hobart.

BAR HARBOURS, DEC. 17.

Low water soundings, Cape Hawke, bar 4ft, rise 5ft 9in, crossing 4ft 6in, rise 3ft; Manning River, bar 7ft, crossing 5ft 6in, rise 4ft; and South-west Rocks, bar 7ft 6in, rise 4ft 5in, crossing 9ft, rise 4ft 5in.

TELEGRAPHIC SHIPPING.

TOWNSVILLE (1256m).—Arr: Dec. 17, Wodonga, s, from Brisbane.

BRISBANE (516m).—Arr: Dec. 17, Mallina, s, from north; Cooma, s, from north; Gabo, s, and Moraila, s, from Sydney. Dep: Dec. 17, Chillagoe, s, for north.

BYRON BAY (345m).—Dec. 17, Orara, s, at 8 a.m., anchored in bay. Passed: Dec. 17, Morialta, s, 6.30 a.m., north.

RICHMOND RIVER HEADS (351m).—Arr: Dec. 15, Mokau, s, 6 p.m.

CLARENCE HEADS (266m).—Arr: Dec. 17, Kyogle, s, and Douglas Mawson, s, from Sydney. Passed: Dec. 17, Gabo, s, 5 p.m., north.

SOUTH SOLITARY (250m).—Passed: Dec. 17, Gabo, s, 9.30 a.m., north.

COFF'S HARBOUR (240m).—Arr: Dec. 16, Coramba, s, from north, and Orara, s, from Sydney. Dep: Dec. 16, Orara, s, for Byron Bay.

BELLINGER (230m).—Durandah, s, bar-bound.

SMOKY CAPE (205m).—Passed: Dec. 17, Government dredge Antleon, 11.30 a.m., south.

CAMDEN HAVEN HEADS (150m).—Arr: Dec. 17, Unique, tug, 9 a.m.

MANNING HEADS (144m).—Dep: Dec. 16, Maianbar, s, for Sydney.

CAPE HAWKE (123m).—Dep: Dec. 17, Tuncurry, s, for Sydney.

PORT STEPHENS (80m).—Dep: Dec. 17, Wyalong, s, for the south. Passed: Dec. 17, Tuncurry, s, 3.40 p.m., south.

NEWCASTLE (62m).—Arr: Dec. 17, Duckenfield, s, Kallatina, s, Coombar, s, Malachite, s, Dunmore, s, Queen Bee, s, Rocklily, s, Galava, s, from Sydney; Melbourne, s, Alabama, s, from Melbourne; Wyalong, s, from Port Stephens. Dep: Dec. 17, Tambar, s, Audrey D., s, Queen Bee, s, Durolo, s, Dunmore, s, Rocklily, s, Malachite, s, Galava, s, for Sydney; Coombar, s, Kallatina, s, for the North Coast; Williams, s, seagull, s, for Port Stephens; Leura, s, for Warrnambool; Komura, s, for Melbourne.

JERVIS BAY (87m).—Passed: Dec. 17, a cargo steamer at 12.10 p.m., and Lammeroo, s, 5.5 p.m., north.

BATEMAN'S BAY (134m).—Dep: Dec. 17, Wee Clyde, s, 11.30 a.m.

BERMAGUI SOUTH (169m).—Dep: Dec. 17, Narani, s, for Sydney.

GABO (230m).—Passed: Dec. 17, steamer like Nautilus, s, 7 a.m., west.

MELBOURNE (576m).—Arr: Dec. 17, Zealandia, s, from Sydney, and Belbourie, s, from Sydney. Dep: Dec. 17, Oonah, s, for Burnie.

MACQUARIE HEADS.—Arr: Dec. 16, Koonya, s, 5.25 p.m., from Newcastle, via Devonport.

BURNIE (510m).—Arr: Dec. 17, Marrawah, s, 4.50 a.m., from Melbourne, via Stanley.

THE MAILS.

THIS DAY.

South Australia.—Overland, 5 p.m.
Victoria.—Overland, 5 p.m. and 8 p.m.
Queensland.—Overland, noon.
India.—9 a.m.
Richmond River.—11.30 a.m.
Tasmania.—5 p.m.
Coff's Harbour and Jetty.—5 p.m.
Byron Bay.—5 p.m.
Macleay River.—5 p.m.
Clarence River.—5 p.m.
Java (parcels only).—5 p.m.
Singapore (parcels only).—5 p.m.
Solomon Islands (parcels only).—5 p.m.
Noumea.—5 p.m.

WEDNESDAY.

New Zealand.—2.30 p.m.
United Kingdom (Newspapers only at special rate of postage and specially endorsed).—10 a.m.
Java.—Noon.
Singapore.—Noon.
America (North).—12.30 p.m.
America (South).—12.30 p.m.
Sandwich Island.—12.30 p.m.
Samoa.—12.30 p.m.
United Kingdom, Letters and Packets only.—12.30 p.m.
Continent of Europe, Letters and Packets only.—12.30 p.m.
Tasmania.—5 p.m.

THURSDAY.

Solomon Islands.—Noon.
Noumea.—1 p.m.
New Hebrides.—1 p.m.
Expeditionary Forces, England and France (Newspapers and Parcels).—3 p.m.
United Kingdom (Parcels).—3 p.m.
Tasmania.—5 p.m.
Western Australia.—5 p.m.

BAPTISTS FOR YES.

BRISBANE, Monday.

The following resolution was carried by the Baptist Association of Queensland—"That the Baptist Association of Queensland in council assembled, recognising the present critical position of the Empire, desires to express itself in favour of reinforcements being sent under the favourable and equable system at present advocated by the Prime Minister."

LATE CAPTAIN BENTLEY.

Yesterday the late Captain William George Bentley, A.R.C.M., Brigade Bandmaster, New South Wales Military Forces, was buried with military honours at the South Head Cemetery. The funeral left Peshawur, Double Bay, shortly after 10 o'clock. Placed on a gun carriage, the coffin was covered with a Union Jack. There was a firing party of fifty men from Victoria Barracks, and about 30 constables in uniform, under Inspector Bowler, also walked. The "Saul" Dead March was played by the Police Band, the State Military Band, and the National Rifle Reserve Band (Professional Musicians) massed under First-class Sergeant Mankey, acting bandmaster of the Police Band. The State Commandant, Brigadier General Lee, was represented by Lieut. Naghten. Among the other officers were Lieutenant Bond and Lieutenant Patrick.

Mr. William Bentley (son), Mr. Henry Adams, Mr. Horace Taylor, Mr. E. Le Bruen, and Mr. A. Browne were the chief mourners.

The large attendance included Mr. Mitchell, Inspector-General of Police; ex-Superintendent Spence, Warrant-Officer McCarthy (late bandmaster R.A.G.A.), Band Sergt. P. W. Leatherby (R.A.G.A.), Bandmaster A. O'Brien, Bandmaster Palmer, Bandmaster Pherloung, Bandmaster Ryder, Messrs. F. Jackson, Deputy Chief Officer; E. Stoneham, A. Wickham, E. Smith, and W. Wylie (representing the Metropolitan Fire Brigade), R. D. Thompson (Naval Comrades' Association), Gordon Lavers, and J. B. White (Sydney College of Music), F. W. Haase (secretary Band Association of New South Wales), A. W. Juncker, H. Mitchiner (representing W. H. Paling and Co.), Q. L. Deloitte, P. A. Jenkins, J. Wilmot, R. H. White, J. J. Herford, Claude Spencer, H. W. H. Huntington, G. Bradley, J. A. Bussey (secretary State Military Band), C. King, F. Haines, J. Griffiths, F. Jackson, Signor Schiavi, and Sergeant Rourke (Fortress Engineers).

The Masonic Australia Lodge of Harmony was represented by Messrs. W. H. Thompson (W.M.), Henry Thompson (I.P.M.), R. Lavernack (S.W.), Capt. T. L. Sweet (J.W.), W. Gemell (J.D.), W. J. Chandler, C. H. Craig, J. D. Y. Glamham, and G. G. T. Macintosh (secretary).

Four members of the firing party carried the coffin to the grave, where the service of the Church of England was read by the Rev. Canon Lea, of St. Mark's, Darling Point. The Masonic funeral ceremonial, which followed, was conducted by W. Bro. W. H. Thompson. The salute was sounded before the three rounds were fired. Then the massed bands played impressively "Brief Life" and "Eventide."

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TO-DAY.

St. James's Hall: The Mackenzie Recital, 3.
St. James's Hall: Mr. Harry Thomas's Recital, 7.45.
Repertory Theatre: The Misses Scully's Recital, 8.
Mr. W. M. Hughes and Senator Millen: Town Hall, 8.
Anti-Conscription Campaign: Mr. Ryan at Randwick, 7.50; Bondi Junction, 8.30; and Darlinghurst, 9.15 p.m.
Town Hall: Meeting to arrange memorial to Captain Bentley, 3.30.
Institute of Surveyors: Meeting, at Royal Society's Hall, 8.
Playhouse: "The Rajah of Shivapore," 8.
Her Majesty's Theatre: "The Red Widow," 8.
Palace Theatre: "Jack and the Beanstalk," 2.30 and 8.
Criterion Theatre: "Cheating Cheaters," 8.
Tivoli: Vaudeville, 8.
Lyceum: Day and night sessions.
Picture Block Theatre: Crystal Palace, Lyric, and Empress Theatres, 11 a.m. to 10.30 p.m.
Waddington's Theatres: Strand, Globe, Majestic, Grand, 11 a.m. to 10.30 p.m.; King's Cross Theatre, 8 p.m.
Olympia, Oxford-street: West's Pictures, 8.
Australian Picture Palace, Hyde Park.
Taronga Park Zoo: 10 till 6.
Women's Handicraft Exhibition: Queen Victoria Markets, 10 to 5.
Arts and Craft Exhibition: Peapes's-buildings, 10.30 to 5.

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

STOCKS AND SHARES.

A fair volume of business was transacted in investment stocks on the Stock Exchange yesterday, and industrial stocks figured at firm prices.

Variations in sale values were:—

RISE.		FALL.	
Millaquin Sugar	5/	War Loan Bonds	2/6
Dalgety and Co.	2/6	Bank of New South Wales	2/6
Meggitt, ord.	/3	Electric Light and Power	/6
Goldsbrough, Mort, and Co.	/3		
Sydney Ferries (old)	/3		

STOCK EXCHANGE SALES.

The following sales of investment stocks and shares were recorded on the Stock Exchange yesterday:—

Forenoon.—N.S.W. 1915-16 Season Wheat Certificates (30,000 bushels), /2⅛; War Loan Inscribed Stock, £98/12/6; War Loan £10 Bonds, £9/16/; Meggitt, ord., 14/3; Bank of New South Wales, £36/17/6; Goldsbrough, Mort, and Co., 44/6; Howard, Smith, 30/; Australian Gas, "A," £5/15/; Australian Bank of Commerce, 14/10½; War Loan Bonds, £98/10/; British Tobacco, ord., 37/.

Noon.—War Loan Bonds, £98/10/; Colonial Sugar (Fiji), £20/17/6; N.S.W. 1915-16 Season Wheat Certificates (25,000 bushels), /2⅛; N.S.W. Mont de Piete, new, 15/6.

Afternoon.—War Loan Bonds, £98/10/; War Loan £10 Bonds, £9/16/; Sydney Ferries, old, 22/6; North Shore Gas (ex. div.), 18/6; Colonial Sugar (Fiji), £20/17/6; Dalgety and Co., £8/12/6; Goldsbrough, Mort, and Co., 44/9; United Insurance, £7/5/; Millaquin Sugar, £9/10/; Perdriau Rubber, 26/6; Electric Light and Power, 24/6.

Closing quotations were:—

Company.	Amount of Shares.	Shares paid up.	Last Dividend per Annum.	Prices. Last Sales.	Buyer.	Seller.	*Yield to Investor.
STOCK.							
War Loan Ins.	..	..	4½	98¼	98¼	98¾	4½
Ditto Bonds	..	..	4½	98¼	98¼	98¾	4½
Do. £10 Bonds	..	..	4½	9/16/	9/16/	9/16/6	4½
N.S.W. (Govt.) opt. 1912	..	..	3	80	..	..	5
Do., 1939	..	..	3½	97	..	..	5¼
Do., 1933	..	..	3½	93	..	..	5
Do., 1925	..	..	4	93¼	..	..	6
Tr. Bills 1920	..	..	4½	98	..	..	5¼
Wheat Scrips 1915-16	..	..	..	2½d	2 5-16d	2 7-16d	..
Do., 1916-17	..	..	..	3½d	..	3½d	..
B.H. Prop., deb.	..	..	6	100½	100½	..	6
B.H. Sth., deb.	..	..	6	101¼	100½	..	5¾
B.H. Nth., deb.	..	..	6	101¼	100¼	..	5¾
BANKS.							
Australasia	40	40	17	115½	115½	..	6
Aust. Jt. Coy.	1	1	3	14/10½	14/10½	..	4
City of Sydney	8	8	4	7	..	..	4½
Ditto, new	10	8	4	9⅞	..	..	6¼
Com. of Sydney	25	12½	10	23½	22⅞	23¼	5¼
N.S.W.	20	20	10	36⅞	36¾	37	5¾
N. Z'land, old	6⅔	3⅓	15	12	..	..	..
Ditto, new	6⅔	6⅔	15	17½	..	..	5¼
Q'land National	5	2	..	5/4	..	5¼	..
Union	75	25	14	55½	..	..	6¼
DEPOSITS.							
A.B.C.	..	..	4	15/	15/	..	5¼
Q'land National	..	..	3½	15/	..	..	5¾
STEAM.							
Adelaide	1	1	10	33/	32/9	..	6
Bal. N. Ferry	1	1	5	17/	17/3	17/6	5¾
Huddart, Parker	1	1	10	32/	..	32/6	6¼
Ditto, pref.	1	1	6	21/6	..	..	5¾
Illawarra S.C.	15/	15/	9	18/9	18/6	..	7¼
Newcastle	1	1	9	33/	33/	33/6	5½
North Coast	1	1	9	29/9	..	29/9	6¼
Port Jackson	1	15/	13½	32/6	32/	33/	6
Sydney Ferries	1	1	5	22/6	22/4½	22/7½	4½
Ditto, new	1	10/	5	11/	10/9	11/	4½
*Union, ord.	1	1	10	60/6	..	..	3½
*Union, pref.	1	1	5½	21/3	..	..	5¼
INSURANCE.							
Aust. Mutual	1	15/	17½	40/	..	..	6½
Col. Mutual	1	1	10	40/6	..	..	5
L.O.A.	10/	5/	10	7/3	7/3	..	6¾
Ditto, new	10/	4/6	10	5/10	..	..	7¼
Mercantile Mut.	1	10/	10	19/3	..	..	5¼
New Zealand	10	4	22½	7/14/6	7½	..	4½
Queensland	1	1	12½	43/	..	..	5¾
United	10	5½	10	7½	7¼	..	4½
GAS.							
Aust. "A"	6	6	3½	5¾	5¾	5¾	3½
Ditto "B"	6	6	3½	5¾	5¾	6	3½
Ditto "C"	6	6	3	91/6	91/	..	3½
Manly	1	1	6	22/	..	..	5½
Ditto, new	1	8/6	6	8/	..	9/3	6¼
Do., last issue	1	7/	6	7/9	..	7/9	5
Newcastle "A"	2	2	7	41/6	..	..	6¾
Ditto "B"	30/	30/	7	32/	..	..	6½
Ditto "C"	2	26/	4½	22/	..	..	7¼
*N. Shore "A"	1	1	5	18/6	18/	18/6	5¼
*N. Shore "B"	1	1	5	14/6	..	..	6¾
BREWERIES.							
C. W. Bros.	1	1	4	9/	8/3	9/	9
Perkins'	15/	15/	6	10/6	10/3	..	8½
Toohey	16/	16/	8	16/	16/	..	8
Tooth's	1	1	9	22/6	22/6	..	8
Ditto, pref.	1	1	6	20/	20/	21/	6
MISCELLANEOUS.							
Amal. Ex. Hd.	10/	7/	10	7/	..	..	10
Aerated Bread	1	1	..	7/	7/	8/	..
A. and F. Ellis	1	1	6	15/	15/3	..	8
Allen Taylor	1	1	8	23/	22/6	23/6	6¾
Amal. Wireless	1	1	5	10/6	9/6	..	9½
A. Cooke	1	1	10	20/4	17/	..	9¾
Ditto, pref.	1	1	7	19/	17/	20/	7¼
Aust. Drug	1	1	10	32/	32/	..	6¼
Australia Hotel	1	1	6½	18/8	17/6	19/	7¼
Aust. W.S. Pipes	1	1	6	13/6	..	..	8¾
A. Telephones	1	1	10	10/	..	..	16½
Aust. Tattrs.	1	1	..	14/6	..	14/6	..
Beard, Watson	1	1	15	21/9	21/6	22/	13¾
Ditto, 1st pref.	1	1	6	19/3	..	20/	6¼
Ditto, 2nd pref.	1	1	7	20/	20/	..	7
Br. Tob., ord.	1	1	12	37/	37/	38/	6½
Br. Tob., pref.	1	1	6	21/4	21/2	21/4	5¾
Burns, Philp	1	1	7½	30/	..	..	5
Col. Sugar, Aus.	20	20	6½	22½	22½	22½	5½
Do., Fiji, cum pref.	20	20	5	20½	20½	21	5¼
Dalgety	20	5	10	8½	8¼	..	5¾
D. Mitchell, Co.	1	1	7	20/6	..	20/6	6¾
Dunlop Rubber	1	1	10	23/4	..	23/6	8½
Do., ... pref.	1	1	10	27/	26/	27/	7¼
E. Drug, ord.	1	1	10	33/	32/6	33/6	6
E. Drug, pref.	1	1	5	..	..	..	..
Elec. L. and P.	1	1	8	24/6	24/	25/	6½
Emu Gravel	1	1	10	20	..	20/	10
F. ... Co.	1	1	8	16/9	..	..	9½
Fairymead Sgr.	1	1	..	21/	..	21/	..
Farmer, Co.	1	1	15	36/5	35/	..	8¼
Ditto, 1st pref.	1	1	6	21/	20/9	21/	5¾
Ditto, 2nd pref.	1	10/	7	11/4½	11/3	..	6¼
G'brough, M.	1	1	15	44/9	44/6	44/9	6¾
Goodlet, Smith	15/	15/	6	14/6	..	15/	6¼
Gr. Williams	1	1	5	8/3	..	..	12
Harrison, Jones	1	1	10	25/	..	..	8
Ditto, contg.	1	10/	10	13/	12/6	13/6	7¾
H. Jones Co-op.	1	1	10	28/	28/	28/6	7¼
Hotel Metropole	1	1	10	23/10	23/6	..	8½
Howard Smith	1	1	10	30/	30/	30/6	6¾
Ditto, contg.	1	4	10	9/6	..	..	4½
Ditto, pref.	1	1	6	20/10½	..	21/	5¾
H. McKenzie	1	1	15	21/5	..	..	14¼
Jos. Gardiner	1	1	12½	30/	..	..	8¼
Ludowici	1	1	10	20/4	..	..	9¾
Marcus Clark	1	1	8	26/6	..	27/6	6
Ditto, pref.	10	10	6	9/14/	..	10	6¼
Meggitt, ord.	10/	10/	10	14/3	14/	14/3	7
Metters	1	1	6	16/9	16/9	..	7¼
Mick Simmons	1	1	8	22/4	22/4	..	7¼
Millaquin Sgr.	10	10	6	9½	9½	9¾	6¼
Mont de Piete	1	1	10	31/	..	30/6	6½
Ditto, new	1	10/	10	15/6	15/3	15/9	6¼
Mort's Dock	1	1	6	18/3	18/	18/9	6½
Fresh Food	1	18/	8	20/6	20/6	..	7¾
Nicholson's	1	1	10	18/6	18/	19/	10¾
Paris ...	10/	10/	7½	7/	..	..	10¾
Paul and Gray	1	1	15	28/6	28/	..	10½
Perdriau	1	1	12½	26/6	26/3	26/9	9½
Ditto, contg.	1	15/	..	22/6	..	..	..
Perp. Trustee	5	5/	10	6/10½	6/11	7	7¼
Perm. Trustee	10	10/	10	19/	..	19/3	5¼
Pitt, Son	1	1	12½	35/	..	..	7
R. H. Gordon	1	1	10	28/	20/	..	7
R. and Wrench	1	1	7	21/6	25/	..	6½
Sargent's	1	1	10	25/6	25/6	26/	7¾
Ditto, new	1	5/	10	6/9	..	..	..
Silverton Trams	1	1	37½	76/	..	..	10
Spencer's	1	1	2½	12/6	..	12/9	4
Stan. Press, pf.	1	1	8	21/	21/	..	7¼
Stan. Waygood	1	1	10	21/9	..	22/3	9¼
Sun Newspaper	1	1	10	38/8	39/	40/	5¼
Ditto, new	1	..	..	22/6	..	..	..
Sweet Bros.	1	1	10	20/	..	..	9½
Syd. Exchange	10	10	6	8/10/3	..	..	7
Syd. Hydraulic	1	1	6	15/	15/	..	8
Ditto, contg.	1	10/	6	6/8	6/6	6/8	9
Syd. Ice Sktg.	1	1	10	25/4	25/	..	7¾
W. F. Smith	12/	12/	5	8/	10/6	11/6	7½
W. H. Soul	1	1	5	47/	..	..	..
Washington H.	1	1	7	12/	10/	..	11¾
W. T. Waters	1	1	7½	25/	..	..	6
Ditto, pref.	1	1	8	20/	..	..	4
Winchcombe	1	1	8	10/	..	10/	6
Ditto, 1st pref.	1	1	7	19/	..	..	7¼
Ditto, 2nd pref.	1	1	7	18/9	..	..	7½
LAND and BD.							
A. Rickard, prf.	1	1	7½	14/	13/9	14/6	10
Intercolonial	1	1	9	31/6	..	..	5¾
Ditto, new	1	17/6	9	30/	..	..	5¼
COAL.							
Abermain	1	1	12½	34/	..	..	7¼
Ditto, new	1	18/	12½	35/	..	..	6¼
Bellambi	1	1	5	25/	25/	25/4	4
Caledonian	1	1	8	20/6	..	30/4	5¼
Ditto, pref.	1	1	6	22/6	..	..	5¾
East Greta	1	1	6	23/3	21/	22/6	5¼
Hetton	1	1	10	25/	..	25/3	8
Metrop., s.p.c.	1	1	4	17/9	..	..	4½
Ditto, 2nd pref.	1	1	2½	9/3	..	..	5¼
Mt. Kembla	1	1	6	18/3	..	..	6½
Newcastle	11	10	10	8½	..	..	12½
North Bulli	1	1	..	6/6	6/3	..	..
Seaham, paid	1	1	6	15/	..	..	8
Ditto, contg.	1	18/	6	13/	..	..	8¼
South Greta	10/	10/	..	4/6	..	..	..
Ditto, new	4/	3/6	..	4/4½	..	..	..
Vale of Clwydd	1	1	10	25/3	..	..	7¾
Wallsend	10	10	5	10	..	10	5
Wickham	1	1	10	21/	..	..	9¾
Ditto, pref.	1	1	12½	31/	31/	35/	7¼

* Ex dividend or interest.

FINANCIAL.

INCOME TAXES.

"Anxious": There is no special deduction for a widow.

MISCELLANEOUS QUERIES.

"E.J.L.": Half wages, but not exceeding £2 a week. "J.B.B.": (a) The moratorium applies; (b) 5 per cent. in this case.

COMMERCIAL.

THE MARKETS.

Most houses have withdrawn their travellers until the New Year, and as a result business yesterday was quiet. Oils were perhaps more active than any other commodity. Italian olive oil was in demand, and a parcel of 500 gallons changed hands at 25/ prompt net cash. The order could not have been repeated at the same figure. Paint materials were firm. Turpentine brought from 5/11 to 6/, while locally produced linseed oil in cases cleared at 6/8 and 6/10. For the best known make of imported whitelead packed in one cwt parcels, £88 a ton was asked. Australian manufactured whitelead was available at £75.

The tea market was fairly active, and prices were well maintained. Certain New Zealand houses were strong buyers. Jute fabrics and manufactured metals were steady at last week's levels.

GERMAN TONNAGE IN OTHER PORTS.

The Sydney Chamber of Commerce has received a copy of the decision of the Dutch Court respecting the appeal in connection with the "Scandia" case, which may be perused on application to the secretary of the chamber.

The chamber has also received a further communication from the Admiralty Court Proctors at Capetown, with reference to Prize Court proceedings in connection with cargo ex the German steamers Hamm, Apolda, and Birkenfels, which may be inspected on calling at the offices of the chamber.

CUSTOMS DECISIONS.

The decisions in interpretation of the tariff have been announced by the Customs Department:—

The Government has prohibited the importation into the Commonwealth of kerosene, petrol, benzine, and other products of petroleum in tins which bear brands or marks stamped or adhering on or to the sides or bottoms of the tins unless the consent, in writing, of the Minister for Trade and Customs has first been obtained.

Brushes, air, used for general painting purposes, as atomisers, n.e.i. Item 375 (d). The admission of aerographs or air brushes under item 381 is, to be restricted to those for artists' use.

Dyes, hematine crystals, being crystalline logwood extract. Item 251 (a).

Frames, except plated or unplated frames of plain square or flat iron or steel, for use in the manufacture of bags, portmanteaux, and trunks. Item 404. Frames, metal, for ladies' handbags. Item 404.

Lead channel bars. Item 98.

Liquorice.—Powder, being decorticated liquorice root pulverised (Pulv. glycyrrh. Decort.). (This is not compound liquorice powder. Item 60.

Machinery.—Reeling machine for straightening and polishing brass, bronze, copper, and similar bars and rods. Item 174.

Musical Instrument Parts.—Tail pieces, metal, for banjos. Item 308.

Pictures.—Kindergarten sheets of calico, with pictures thereon representing nursery tale characters. Item 410.

Pins, iron, used similarly to bristles in the manufacture of hair (toilet) brushes. Item 404.

Pipes and Tubes.—Pipes, wrought iron, in straight lengths of 12 inches, not exceeding 3 inches internal diameter, threaded at both ends, for exhaust of marine motor engine, imported separately. Item 152.

Rugs, goat skin floor. Item 117.

PRODUCE.

DAIRY.

EGG MARKET BRIGHTER.

Although prices for eggs showed no variation yesterday, the tone of the market was very much brighter than has been the case of late. Agents, who have during the past few weeks had large stocks on hand, reported clear floors, and in most cases anticipated a probable slight increase in prices in the near future. Orders from all quarters were coming in more freely than during last week, and it was stated that the cause was a strengthening demand from the public for new-laid eggs.

A brisk trade was done in other lines at firm rates. The demand for bacon and hams was exceptionally strong, particularly for special brands, and most agents were not booking any fresh orders. The representative of a leading house stated yesterday that there were larger supplies of bacons and hams forward this year than last; the increased trade was, in his opinion, due to the fact that the demand was heavier.

Lard and honey were unaltered.

Quotations were:—

Eggs.—Hen, new-laid, 1/; South Coast and railways, 10½; Northern Rivers, /10. Duck, new-laid 1/, case 10 a dozen.

Butter (boxes and cartage 2/ extra).—Choicest 149/4, seconds 146/ per cwt; packed in prints ½d per lb extra may be charged.

Bacon.—Sides 1/, flitches /11, middles 1/2, shoulders /10 per lb.

Hams.—Special brands, single cloths, 1/3½, seeds, 1/4 per lb.

Lard.—Parcels /10½, bulk /10 to /10½ per lb.

Beeswax.—1/8 to 1/9 per lb.

Honey.—60lb tins of choice western /4 to /5½, choice /5½, candied /3½, Northern Rivers /4 to /5½, inferior from /3 per lb.

Poultry.—River consignments: Old hens, 3/3 to 4/; young roosters, 3/ to 5/; chickens, /10 to 1/3; muscovy ducks, 4/6 to 5/; drakes, 5/6 to 6/; turkey gobblers, 10/6 to 17/6; hens, 8/ to 10/; guineafowls, 5/ to 5/6; geese, 8/ to 10/ a pair.

FORAGE AND GRAIN.

A steady trade was effected in forage and grain lines at firm prices.

Quotations were:—

Lucerne.—Hunter River, small bales, £1; large prime green, £3; other grades from £1 a ton.

Broom Millet.—Prime long hurl, £50; inferior, from £40 a ton.

Oats.—Tasmanian Giants, 4/; Algerian, feed, 2/4 to 2/6; milling, 3/6 to 3/8 a bushel.

Firewood.—Boxwood, 18/ to 26/; stringybark, 18/ to 25/; mixed wood, 14/ to 15/; ironbark, 16/ to 18/; bakers' wood, 18/ to 19/; rough, 11/ to 12/ a ton.

Maize.—Northern River, yellow, 5/ to 5/3 a bushel.

Peas.—Nominal: Grey 8/ to 8/6 a bushel, blue 18/ to 21/ a bushel.

Onions.—Victorian Globes, £11.

Potatoes.—Clarence River, £4; Hunter River, £6.

Straw.—Tasmanian, £4/10/ to £4/15/ a ton.

Ruling prices at Alexandria were.—Wheaten chaff, choice 5/4 to 5/6, good 4/ to 4/3, medium 3/9 to 3/10, inferior 2/7 to 2/8 per cwt; oaten chaff, choice 5/7, prime 5/, good 4/ to 4/6, inferior 3/ per cwt; oaten hay, prime 6/7 per cwt; derrick straw, prime 4/9 per cwt; onions, good 11/, medium 9/ per cwt; potatoes, good 6/, medium 4/6 to 4/9, inferior 3/2 to 3/10 per cwt.

FRUIT MARKET.

Fair supplies of fruit were on hand yesterday, but the demand was only moderate, and consequently business was on the dull side.

Quotations were:—

Oranges.—Choice 9/ to 10/, medium 5/ to 6/, small 2/ to 3/.

Lemons.—Choice 7/ to 8/, medium 4/ to 5/, inferior or large practically unsalable.

Pineapples.—Queensland: Queens, 12/ to 14/; Commons and Ripleys, 8/ to 10/ a case.

Apples.—Local, 2/ to 8/; American, 18/ to 20/ per bushel case.

Cherries.—Local, 2/ to 6/ a quarter-bushel case; Victorian, 6/ to 10/ a half-bushel case.

Apricots.—Local, choice 4/6 to 5/, medium 2/6 to 3/ per bushel case, small and inferior practically unsalable; Victorian, 8/ to 12/ a bushel case.

Gooseberries.—1/6 to 3/6 per quarter-bushel case.

Strawberries.—Local, 8/ to 12/ a dozen punnets.

Peaches.—Local, choice 5/ per half-bushel case, others 2/ to 2/6 per bushel case.

Plums.—Local, light 2/ to 4/, dark 3/ to 5/ a half-bushel case.

Bananas.—Fiji, 5/ to 6/6 a bunch, 16/ to 17/ a case; G.M., 17/6 to 18/6 a case, 6/ to 9/ a bunch; Tweed River, 8/ to 15/ a case; Queensland, 10/ to 12/ a case.

Nectarines.—Local, 1/6 to 5/ a half-bushel case.

VEGETABLE MARKET.

Large supplies were forward at the vegetable markets yesterday. There was a strong demand for peas and beans.

Cabbages.—Local, 2/ to 2/6; lettuce, /3 to /9.

Beetroot.—2/ to 2/6; carrots, 2/ to 2/6; celery, 2/6 to 3/; herbs, /6; leeks, 1/6; mint, /6 to 3/6; parsley, 1/; parsnips, 2/ to 2/6; radishes, /6; rhubarb, 1/ to 2/6; spinach, 1/; white turnips, 1/ to 2/; eschalots, 1/; watercress, /6 to 2/ per dozen.

Beans.—French, rivers, 1/6 to 2/; peas, 10/ per bushel.

Tomatoes.—Queensland, to 15/ per half-bushel case.

Pumpkins, local, 14/ to 15/; onions, Brown Spanish, 20/ to 24/; Globes, 12/; Swede turnips, local, 10/ to 12/.

HOMEBUSH STOCK SALES.

SHEEP.

A FIRM MARKET.

The sheep market at Homebush yesterday was buoyant, and generally the prices obtained were better than last day's best rates. This applied to all classes, except heavy sheep, which were practically unaltered. The number in the pens was 10,226, from 44 owners. All sections of the State were represented in the consignments. The sheep were of fairly good quality, and consisted of all classes from plain and ordinary trade sheep to heavy merinos and crossbreds. The attendance of buyers was quite up to the average, and competition, although at times somewhat irregular, was as a whole brisk. As the sales proceeded prices hardened, and the market became generally firmer. Among the principal sales were the following:—From western agents, xbd w to 35/; from A. A. Company, Willow Tree, w to 33/11, and e to 30/4; from A. F. and L. Manchee, of Binnegay xbd e to 35/; from C. G. Croaker, of Edgerol, xbd w to 30/1; from A. D. Anderson, of Gunnedah, xbd w to 34/11; from W. G. Balfour, of Culcairn, xbd w to 35/; from W. J. Parker, of Holbrook, xbd w to 33/, and xbd w to 35/; from John McLennan, of Barmedman, w to 33/, and xbd w to 35/; from Boolooia Station, at Gunnedah, xbd w to 33/, from Tarlee Estate, Edgerol, xbd w to 34/1; from Mrs C. H. Macintyre, of Scone, xbd w to 34/9; from S.A.I. Company, Ltd., of Henty, w to 37/4; from S. A. I. Company, at Old Junee, w to 33/10; from Penally Estate, at Gulargambone, xbd h to 33/6, from Moore Bros., of Bugilbone, xbd e to 33/11; from W. T. Grant, of Curlewis, shorn, xbd e to 32/7; and shorn xbd h to 34/1; from John Ross, of Wilbriggie, shorn xbd e to 33/11; from J. T. Wright, of Nevertire, xbd w to 35/3; from F. T. Simpson, of Narromine, xbd w to 32/1; from J. W. Nicholas, of Berrigan, xbd w to 33/; and shorn w to 31/1; from W. J. McDonald, of Coolamon, xbd h to 32/; from P. Cosgrove, of Ganmain, xbd h to 31/1.

LAMBS.

There was a fair supply of lambs, but again the demand was more than equal to the pennings, and prices rose to about 1/ over last day's rates. A truck of 80 cross lambs from the estate of L. P. Doyle, of Werris Creek, made to 33/11, and averaged 33/9. Another pen of 45 woolly cross lambs, from John M'Lennan, of Barmedman, made to 35/, and averaged 32/4. Cross suckers from W. Houlahan, of Burren Junction, realised to 30/. A large consignment of 508 cross lambs from Mrs. A. E. Wong, of Crookwell, sold to 32/, and averaged 25/6. A small pen of 45 cross lambs, from W. T. Grant, of Curlewis, made to 30/7, and averaged 27/7. A. P. Douglas, of Sumervale, forwarded 192 cross suckers, which averaged 28/8.

CATTLE.

MARKET IRREGULAR.

There was a yarding of 1400 head of cattle from 55 owners, representative of most of the cattle-breeding centres of the State. They were of unusually good quality, and included a number of bullocks from Queensland. There was the usual attendance of buyers from metropolitan and country centres. Competition at the outset was good, and prices were about the same as last day's rates; but as sales proceeded the market became dull and quotations were generally lower, but the tone at the close of the market had again improved for good quality beef, so that on the day's proceedings there was practically no alteration in prices. One big line of 150 bullocks, from W. S. Kidman, of Trangie, sold to £22/11/; and averaged £19/8/8. Another large consignment came from Jas. M'Leish, of Coonamble; 107 of these were bullocks which made to £23/18/6, and averaged £19/17/. There were also in the draft 25 cows, which realised to £19/13/, and averaged £16/7/1. Mrs E. Partridge, of Bourke, forwarded 31 bullocks, which sold to £28/15/, and averaged £21/5/9. These came from Queensland. Another line of Queensland bullocks were 20, which arrived from Kempson and Moore, of Bourke. These sold to £26/4/, and averaged £24/14/3. Mr. L. W. Guymer, of Deepwater, forwarded 29 Queensland bullocks, which made to £24/15/, and averaged £20/4/6. The A. A. Company, of Willow Tree, forwarded 36 bullocks, which sold to £26/9/, and averaged £24/13/.

Among the principal sales were the following:—From S.A.I. Comp., Ltd., from Matong, 50 steers to £20/17/6, avg. £19/10/9; from Chaffey Bros., of Tamworth, 10 bullocks at £19/8/6; from O. E. Friend, of Gular, 17 bullocks and steers to £22/2/, avg. £18/11/9; from Tarlee Estate, of Narrabri, 9 steers to £21/10/, avg. £17/18/3; from J. H. O'Brien, of Warren, 7 cows to £20/11/, avg. £14/18/; from Western agents, 50 bullocks to £22/5/, avg. £19/3/3; from E. Gall, of Moree, 30 bullocks to £20/19/, avg. £17/1/9; from J. Mead, of Merriwa, 11 bullocks to £18/3/, avg. £17/19/; from F. T. Payne, of Quirindi, 29 bullocks, to £23/6/, avg. £20/14/6; from Jos. Brown, of Muswellbrook, 20 bullocks to £21/6/6, avg. £20/8/; from H. L. McDougall and Son, of Wee Waa, 11 steers at £18/6/6; from G. Fawcett, of Singleton, 9 bullocks to £20, avg. £18/2/8; from Jas. M'Leish, of Coonamble, 107 bullocks to £23/18/6, avg. £19/17/, and 25 cows to £19/13/, avg £16/7/1; from Bakewell Bros., Ltd., of Scone, 29 bullocks to £19/18/6, avg. £19/7/9; from A. A. Co., of Willow Tree, 36 bullocks to £26/9/, avg. £24/13/; from Walhallow Estate at Quirindi, 30 bullocks to £30/6/, avg. £19/19/4; from W. S. Kidman, of Trangie, 150 bullocks to £22/11/, avg. £19/8/8; from H. R. Munro, of Moree, 82 bullocks to £21/9/, avg. £19/5/1; from Mrs. E. Partridge, of Bourke, 31 bullocks to £28/15/, avg. £21/5/9; from Kempson and Moore, of Bourke, 20 bullocks to £26/4/, avg. £24/14/3; from L. W. Guymer, of Deepwater, 29 bullocks to £24/15/, avg. £20/4/6; from W. J. Parker, of Holbrook, 10 bullocks to £20/12/, avg. £19/14/3; from H. Eddy, of Girilambone, 7 steers to £23/8/, avg. £22/14/3; from W. Thornton, of Girilambone, 7 bullocks and steers to £26/19/, avg. £19/13/2; from J. F. Green, of Girilambone, 3 cows to £18/17/, avg. £16/15/6; from W. H. Green, of Girilambone, 3 steers to £20/19/, avg. £20/8/.

MINING.

Contrary to the usual market conditions ruling at the beginning of the week, the turnover in mining shares was of fair dimensions on the Stock Exchange yesterday. Copper and gold concerns were only scantily dealt in, but silver-lead and tin stocks received solid support at generally improved terms. Among copper issues, Hampdens declined to 25/3. Westonias were practically left out of consideration, and only a few sales were listed. Deeps eased /3 to 24/1½. There was reported to be some trouble with water coming through from the Edna May workings. Consols changed hands /4 lower at 15/9, and Centrals were /3 down at 14/. Among local stocks Mt. David provided exchange at the late price.

Practically the whole of the producing Barriers appeared on the sale boards. Junctions were again the subject of some business, and finished the day at slightly easier levels. A stronger tone ruled for other Broken Hill propositions. Souths advanced 2/ to £9/8/, and Norths rose /9 to 57/3. "Hills" recovered /6 to 55/, and Junction North hardened to 19/4½. Malay tin dredging concerns were handled at about former values. Carpathia (con.) were higher at 5/1½ among the local enterprises.

STOCK EXCHANGE SALES.

The following mining sales were listed:—

Copper: Hampden, 25/3, 25/3; 6 weeks, 25/4½.

Gold: Edna May Central, 14/; Edna May Deep Levels, 24/1½; Edna May Consolidated, 15/9; Mt. David, 1/.

Silver: B.H. Junction, paid, 10/3; do., cont., 6 weeks 9/4, cash 9/3; 6 weeks 9/5, cash 9/4, 9/4, 9/4, 9/5; 6 weeks, 9/6; cash, 9/4; 6 weeks, 9/5; cash, 9/6; North B.H., 57/, 57/3, British B.H. (old), 34/4; B.H. Proprietary, 54/9; 10 weeks 55/6, cash 55/, 6 weeks 55/6; B.H. South, paid, £9/8/; Junction North, 19/, 19/1½, 19/3; 6 weeks 19/6, cash 19/4½.

Tin: Larut, 68/6; Ratrut Basin, 17/6; Tongkah Compound, 14/4½; Kampong Kamunting, one month, 48/; Briseis, 4/10; Carpathia, con., 5/1½.

Miscellaneous: Mammoth Molybdenite, paid, 14/6, 14/6; one month 14/9, two months 14/9; do., contg., 6/6.

INTERSTATE EXCHANGES.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

To-day's mining sales were:—

Silver: Amalgamated Zinc, 35/3; Junction, 9/4, 9/5, 9/4.

Copper: Jasper, 40/9.

Gold: Edna Battler, 1/3; Central, 14/1; Consol, 15/1, 15/8; 6 weeks, 15/, 15/7; Deeps, 24/3; 6 weeks, 24/3; Nuggety Ajax, 2/6, 2/5; Duke Extended, 5/1, 5/2, 5/; Bendigo Amalgamated, paid, 1/9; A1, 19/, 20/.

ADELAIDE, Monday.

On 'Change to-day sales and quotations were:—

Copper: Hampden, b 25/, s 25/3; Wallaroo, b 44/, s 55/.

Silver: Brokens, b 54/6, s 54/9; Block 10, b 24/6, s 25/6; Block 14, pref., b 12/6, s 12/10; Block 14 (ord.), b 8/6, s 9/1; British, old, 34/6, b 34/, s 34/9; Junction, paid, 10/7, 10/8, b 10/8, s 10/10; Junction, contg, 9/3, 9/8, b 9/7, s 9/8; Junction Norths, s 19/6; Norths, b 57/1½, s 57/6; South, paid, b £9/7/6, s £9/8/; South, contg, b £9/4/, s £9/6/; Sulphide, ord., b 24/6, s 25/6; Amalgamated Zinc, b 30/, s 30/6; Zinc Corporation, pref., b 52/; Zinc Corporation, ord., 19/1, b 19/1, s 19/3.

Gold: Bullfinch Proprietary, b /9½, s 1/; Lake View and Star, b /8, s 1/; Associated Northern, 2/, b 1/11, s 2/2; Commodore, /7½, /6½; Edna May, 39/9, 40/, b 40/, s 40/6; Edna May Battler, b 1/3½, s 1/6; Edna May Consolidated, 15/8, 15/6, 16/, b 15/11, s 16/1; Edna May Central, 14/2, 14/3, b 14/3, s 14/4; Edna May Deeps, 24/11, 24/6, b 24/6, s 24/9; Edna May Main Lode, /5; Edna May Golden Point, b /10, s 1/; Edna May Consolidated Extended (paid), s 1/5; Edna May (con.), b /2, s /4; Great Boulder, b 12/9, s 13/3; Golden Butterfly (paid), b /10, s 1/3; Golden Butterfly (con.), /5½; Ivanhoe, b 44/6; Leonora Blocks, b /11; Mararoa, b 3/10, s 4/2; New Bodington, b /5, s /9; Riverina South, 6/5, b 6/5, s 6/9; Sons of Gwalia, b 11/, s 11/6; Weston's Reward (paid), b /5, s /6; Weston's Reward (con.), b /1½.

AUCTION SALES TO-DAY.

HOUSES AND LAND.

C. H. CRAMMOND.—At Real Estate Rooms, at 11.30, City, Suburban, and Country Properties.

A. E. STUTCHBURY and CO.—At Woodland and White streets, Manly, at 12, Cottage.

FURNITURE AND MERCHANDISE.

W. A. LITTLE.—At Yatalunga, Yarranabee-road, Darling Point, at 11, Piano, Furniture, etc.

DEAN, VALANTINE, and CO.—At the Rooms, at 11, Merchandise, Furniture, etc.

A. E. STUTCHBURY and CO.—At Woodland and White street, Manly, at 11, Piano, Furniture, etc.

M. GOULSTON and CO.—At 180 Blue's Point-road, North Sydney, at 10.30, Groceries, etc.; at 3, Shop Fittings, etc.

F. R. STRANGE.—At 106 Castlereagh-street, city, at 11, Salvage Goods.

J. P. LISTER.—At 302 Pitt-street, at 11, Clothing, etc.; at 2.30, Sundries; at 3, Jewellery, etc.

A. G. JENKINS.—At 74 Castlereagh-street, at 11, Unredeemed Pledges.

MIDDLETON and CO.—At 170 George-street West, at 2, Clothing, etc.

E. H. BRODRIBB.—At the Rooms, at 11, Pianos, Furniture, Fancy Goods, Toys, etc.

H. STEELE.—At Avenue-road, Mosman, at 11, Confectionery, Toys, Drapery, Furniture, etc.

H. LEVY.—At 15 Botany-street, Redfern, at 11, Furniture, etc.

H. COHEN and SON.—At 174 and rear 178 George-street North, at 11, Pianos, Furniture, etc.

A. G. JONES.—At 395 Bourke-street, Darlinghurst, at 2, Piano, Pianola, Furniture, etc.

R. S. KEY.—At 197 Hay-street, Sydney, at 10, Office Furniture, Lamps, etc.

HORSES, VEHICLES, AND HARNESS.

W. INGLIS and SON.—At their Bazaar, Camperdown, at 10.30, Horses, Vehicles, and Harness.

MISCELLANEOUS.

G. L. COPPIN.—At Adelaide-street, Woollahra, at 11, Machinery, Building Materials, etc.

C. G. WAINWRIGHT.—At Dowling-street, Woolloomooloo, at 11, Building Materials, etc.

D. and W. BAINES.—At 1 Hay-street, Leichhardt, at 11, Building Materials, etc.

UNIVERSITY.

EXAMINATION RESULTS.

The following are the results of the annual University examinations:—

FACULTY OF ARTS.

Class lists in individual subjects:—

LATIN I.

Pass (order of merit): Catriona M. C. Cameron, (e) J. J. Dunne, (e) H. H. Moore, A. T. Edwards; R. S. Lee, Mary K. Macindoe, aeq.; G. H. Brown, F. J. Moroney, F. E. E. Brooks, Violet N. L. Welch, J. D. Warland; Grace Cowell, D. S. Johnston, N. S. Pickering, aeq.; H. M. Bloom, H. Savage, Daisy I. Smeal, (e) H. R. Arnott, Eva M. Shiel, Jane C. Eyre, Eunice M. Budge, (e) M. A. Sullivan, *E. P. Patterson, Winsome & Riley; Catherine M. Duffy, Ruth Hindmarsh, (e) L. M. Trimble, Florence D. Walker, aeq.; Elsie L. M. Cheetham, H. J. Manion, aeq.; (e) G. E. Giovanelli, Doris A. Chadwick, Florence M. Tuckey, Eleanor B. B. M. Kirkpatrick, Kathleen Howard.

LATIN II.

Pass (order of merit): B. J. McGrath, (e) D. J. Hawke, Muriel B. H. Smith, Eileen Fitzpatrick, Ossella A. Aspinall, L. G. Williams; Dorothy E. Coombes, Kathleen M. Hore, aeq.; Ailsa Craig, Ellen H. Rock, Joyce M. Chapman, Margery H. Anderson, Emilie Hutton, J. W. Anderson, *C. V. Bell.

Distinction Students.—Pass (order of merit): (e) M. S. O'Donoghue, D. Radford, R. S. Butterworth, Marjorie V. Glanville, G. F. A. Bohman, Mollie B. L. Murphy, S. C. Ratcliff.

LATIN III.

Order of Merit.—Sarah D. Payn, F. G. H. Letters, Margaret Radford, Flora S. P. Eldershaw, Eilene W. MacDonnell, Rachel Mandelbaum, aeq.; Angela E. R. Galbraith, Violet A. Stuart, F. A. Walton, Elizabeth H. G. Moore, Irene M. Duffy, Jean M. Edmunds, Beatrice M. Christie, Florence A. Harris, Helena G. Hurley, Hilda M. Broome, (e) C. J. Hunt, E. P. F. Rofe.

GREEK I.

Pass (order of merit): N. S. Pickering, F. E. E. Brooks, Catriona M. C. Cameron, H. A. Cubis; J. A. Milford, H. J. Hillman, aeq.; W. T. Price.

GREEK II. AND III.

Pass (order of merit).—D. Radford, F. J. H. Letters, Sarah D. Payn, Violet A. Stuart, A. L. Wade, Eileen Fitzpatrick; Margaret Radford, Marjorie F. Hales, aeq.; B. D. Peatt, Frances E. Aston, M.A.

ENGLISH I.

Pass (order of merit): Mary K. Macindoe, Annie Weston, aeq.; (e) R. H. Anderson, Dorothy C. Weir, Edith Ferguson-Murdoch, *Edith F. Kane, Maud F. Jensen, Florence D. Walker, N. S. Pickering, J. M. Ross, *Jane M. E. Martin; (e) J. J. Dunne, Esther L. Tuckey, aeq.; (e) Gertrude A. Walton, Hilda M. Broome, A. T. Edwards, (e) F. Cowburn, J. R. Croswell, R. S. Lee, aeq.; *Florence M. Hornibrook, Ada G. M. Stove, Doris A. Chadwick, W. E. R. Francis; Jane C. Eyre, Dorothy R. Green, D. S. Johnstone, aeq.; Catherine M. Duffy; Mavis L. Price, J. D. Warland, aeq.; Catriona M. Cameron, (e) W. H. Edmunds, *W. Martin, aeq.; *A. G. Hill, *Irene M. M'Murtrie, *E. P. Patterson, *Doris M. Turner, aeq.; Eunice M. Budge, Nora A. E. Bowles, O. P. Barr, Sadie F. Brewster, Vera F. Kent, aeq.; Grace Cowell, *Thelma Arnold, Daisy R. Druffin, Sadie Kelly, *Mary E. Sim, aeq.; Erma W. Coulter, *Blodwen E. Rees, aeq.; Elsie L. M. Cheetham, (e) G. A. Prendergast, aeq.; *A. C. Fox, Annie L. I. Smith, aeq.; F. E. E. Brooks, Margaret A. Buxton, aeq.; (e) Elizabeth Bell, *(e) F. R. Sherring, Brenda N. Richardson, Kathleen E. Howard, Eva M. Shell, aeq.; Florence M. Finch, Bessie Savage, aeq.; Winifred M. E. Corkran, Daisy Smeal, aeq.; Isabel T. Cunningham, W. N. Lock; Ida L. Price, K. A. Mitchell, aeq.; Mabel L. Graham, F. J. Moroney; G. H. Brown, *(e) Kathleen Deasey, Jessie A. M'Donald, aeq.; *(e) Edith M. Whitton; (e) A. H. Baldock, *(e) Vere Haggett, aeq.; Margaret E. Minogue, (e) J. Thirlwell, Edith I. Kerr, aeq.; (e) T. F. Mackenzie, *(e) Annie Jones; H. J. Manion, Margaret Rice, aeq.; H. M. Bloom, Dorothy G. Edwards, *(e) Mary C. Flynn, aeq.; Marion I. Sandow, (e) L. W. Worrall, aeq.; (e) H. R. Arnott, Electra P. Rankin, *(e) Violet Sands, (e) W. H. Cadogan, J. A. Souter, W. E. Cummings, aeq.; *(e) Marion A. Hardwick; Hilda D. Horn, (e) C. G. Preston, (e) L. M. Trimble, aeq.; Agnes T. Burkitt, *Dorothy J. Kimber, aeq.; *(e) Gwendoline R. Brooks, Winifred A. Phillips, *(e) Effie H. Steed, *Katherine O. Moppett, M. Roddy, aeq.; *(e) T. F. Tonkin, *Doris G. Phillips, (e) G. L. Reid, D. C. Body; Florence M. Tuckey, Bridget I. White, aeq.; Marjorie Z. L. Monaghan, H. A. Cubis, *(e) C. H. Cameron.

ENGLISH II.

Pass (Order of Merit): Pearl E. M. Griffin, Doris V. Coutts, Rebecca A. Falconer, Constance K. Irvine, Dorothy E. Edwards, Kathleen M. Ohlson, Kathleen Crago, Alice N. Hagon, T. M'Dougall, Beatrice Sneath, H. Savage, (e) Myra Willard, (e) P. C. Spender, Marjorie V. Glanville, *(e) Rose M. Touchon; J. B. Moss, Ellice M. Nosworthy, L. G. Williams, aeq.; Margery H. Anderson, G. F. A. Bohman, Gwendoline E. North, aeq.; (e) Grace M. Farrell, Dorothy H. Brown, (e) S. R. Carver, Eileen Fitzpatrick, aeq.; *(e) Katherine E. Jones, Norah de V. Wright, Margaret Radford; Dorothy E. Coombes, (e) O. T. Gardiner, aeq.; Dorothy E. Craig, (e) J. C. M. Curran, B. J. M'Grath, aeq.; Eva Dubig, Muriel B. H. Smith, aeq.; (e) Hilda Fleming, (e) Mollie B. L. Murphy, aeq.; Kathleen M. Hore, *(e) Eva Redfern, Cecilia C. Bright; Cecile R. Stanley, H. E. Reimer, aeq.; (e) C. W. Scott; Winsome L. Riley, Violet A. Stuart, aeq.; Marjorie F. Barnard, Ailsa Craig, aeq.; Ellen H. Rock; *(e) Laura Beavan, Mildred J. Baker, Florence H. G. Glover, aeq.; R. A. Shirres, V. C. Bell, (e) C. E. Latham; (e) Mary E. Kelleher, (e) T. A. Lappin, (e) J. W. Thompson, aeq.; P. W. Pearson, Lelia Coppola; (e) A. L. Wade, G. E. Giovanelli, aeq.; A. W. Birnie, Joyce M. Chapman, Emilie Hutton, aeq.; Mary D. Fairless, B. D. Peatt, aeq.; *(e) Marjorie Beddie, (e) E. A. Wight; Daisye Fielding, Elizabeth M'Lean, aeq.; Emily R. Saunders, Lucille M. Aitken, Doreen S. Harward, (e) Teresa Gillies.

ENGLISH III.

Pass (Order of Merit): Persia G. C. Campbell, Doris M. Rivett, A. J. A. Waldock, (e) J. Collins, V. W. E. Goodin, Helena M. Hurley; S. K. Barker, Ella L. Martin, aeq.; Flora S. P. Eldershaw, Anne J. Marrae, Sarah D. Payn; Kathleen M. Donovan, Rachael Mandelbaum, aeq.; N. L. Cowper, Elsie A. Wicks, aeq.; Jean M. Edmunds, Angela E. R. Galbraith, aeq.; Barbara C. Shaw, F. H. Letters, Mildred Begg, (e) C. C. Towle; Irene M. Duffy, (e) H. S. Taylor, aeq.; (e) F. A. Elgar, Elizabeth A. Hirst; (e) T. B. Ingram, Minnifred D. Metcalfe, aeq.; Jessie C. Hutchinson, Bessie Wright, aeq.; A. G. T. Keech; Kathleen M. Bourke, Dulcie M. Hall, aeq.; Marcella M. Gardner, Flora C. Gilbert, F. A. Walton, aeq.; Ossella A. Aspinall, O. V. Abram, Lina Sherman, Beatrice C. Christie, J. C. Woodhouse, Kathleen M. Donovan, Elizabeth H. G. Moore, D. J. Shearman, aeq.; May E. Ferns; Mary E. Clarke, H. J. Hillman, (e) S. J. Rooke, aeq.; (e) L. N. Rose, N. C. Smith, aeq.; Kathleen M. Murphy; (e) H. G. Campbell, Marjorie M. Kilgour.

FRENCH I.

Pass (order of merit): Dorothy G. Edwards, Dorothy Irwin, (e) H. H. Moore, Leila Coppola, Irene M. Manton, B.A., Violet N. L. Welch, Eleanor B. B. M. Kirkpatrick; A. T. Edwards, *Doris G. Phillips, aeq.; (e) Sydna L. Leslie, Florence M. Tuckey, aeq.; Mary K. Macindoe, Esther L. Tuckey, J. R. Creswell, Ida L. Price, (e) S. R. Carver, Maud F. Jensen, Daisy I. Smeal, Marjorie Z. L. Monaghan.

FRENCH II.

Pass (order of merit): Olive E. Purnell, H. Savage; Hilda C. Hancock, Mollie B. L. Murphy, aeq.; Vivienne W. Lalor, Beatrice Sneath, Ailsa Craig, Cecily R. Stanley.

FRENCH III.

Pass (order of merit): (e) E. P. Austin, (e) M. S. O'Donoghue, Esther A. Moulsdale, Ella L. Martin, *Violet M. Killen, Mary S. Johnston, Flora C. Gilbert, (e) D. W. Hawke, Rosalie H. Collins, Kathleen M. Murphy, Hazel Ostler, Mary E. Clarke.

GERMAN I.

Pass (order of merit): Dorothy G. Edwards, Dorothy Irwin, Brenda N. Richardson, Eleanor B. B. M. Kirkpatrick.

GERMAN II.

Pass (order of merit): Hilda C. Hancock, R. A. Shirres.

GERMAN III.

Pass (order of merit): Ella L. Martin, Esther A. Moulsdale, Rosalie H. Collins.

HISTORY I.

Pass (alphabetical).—O. P. Barr, (e) Elizabeth Bell, H. M. Bloom, D. C. Body, Nora A. E. Bowles, G. H. Brown, Eunice M. Budge, Margaret A. Buxton, *(e) C. H. Cameron, Doris A. Chadwick, Elsie L. M. Cheetham, Grace Cowell, H. A. Cubis, Isabel T. Cunningham, *Mary C. Davis, Jane C. Eyre, Edith Ferguson-Murdoch, Florence M. Finch, W. E. R. Francis, Barbara J. Grieve, *A. G. Hill, *Florence M. Hornibrook, Kathleen E. Howard, *Edith F. Kane, Sadie Kelly, Vera F. Kent, Eleanor B. B. M. Kirkpatrick, *Irene M. McMurtrie, *Jane E. Martin, *W. Martin, J. W. Milne, Margaret E. Minogue, F. J. Moroney, *E. P. Patterson, (e) H. G. Payne, Winifred A. Phillips, G. A. Prendergast, Ida L. Price, Mavis L. Price, Electra P. Rankin, L. A. H. Regan, *Blodwen E. Rees, J. M. Ross, *Bessie Savage, Eva M. Shiel, D. M. Smith, B.A., *(e) F. R. Sherring, Cecily R. Stanley, Ada G. M. Stove, (e) J. Thirlwell, (e) J. W. Thompson, Mary H. Tilse, *(e) T. F. Tonkin, (e) C. C. Towle, *(e) Constance M. Tremlett, Esther L. Tuckey, *Doris M. Turner, Florence D. Walker, J. D. Warland, Dorothy C. Weir, Violet N. L. Welch, Bridget I. White, (e) L. W. Worrall, Annie Weston.

HISTORY II.

Honours Students.—Pass (alphabetical):—Third Year: (e) S. K. Barker, Persia G. C. Campbell, N. L. Cowper, Flora S. P. Eldershaw, (e) W. S. Gee, Doris M. Rivett, Mildred Begg, A. J. A. Waldock.

Second Year.—G. F. A. Bohman, Kathleen Crago, Dorothy E. Edwards, Mary D. Fairless, Rebecca A. Falconer, T. McDougall, Olive E. Purnell, Emily R. Saunders, Muriel B. H. Smith, (e) Myra Willard, Norah de V. Wright.

Pass Students (order of merit).—(e) J. Levy, Marjorie F. Barnard; R. S. Butterworth, V. W. E. Goodin, aeq.; (e) Gertrude A. Walton, J. W. Anderson, aeq.; Anne J. Marrae, Elizabeth H. G. Moore, aeq.; Helena M. Hurley, (e) G. Murphy; Ossella A. Aspinall, (e) W. H. Matheson, (e) Marjorie B. Pitt, aeq.; (e) P. O. Nelson; Doris V. Coutts, *(e) L. J. Storrier, aeq.; (e) H. J. Hillman, (e) F. A. Elgar, F. A. Walton, Angela E. R. Galbraith; (e) J. C. M. Curran, Jessie C. Hutchinson, (e) H. G. Campbell, (e) M. A. Sullivan, aeq.; Beatrice M. Christie; (e) May E. Ferns, (e) Sydna L. Leslie, aeq.; Pearl E. Griffin, (e) H. S. Taylor, L. G. Williams, J. B. Moss; Marcella M. Gardner, (e) N. L. Sherwood, aeq.; (e) C. J. Hunt, Eilene W. MacDonnell, (e) J. E. Larum; Kathleen M. Ohlson, J. C. Woodhouse, aeq.; Eva Dubig, *(e) D. H. Staples, aeq.; (e) Mary M. Kelleher, Barbara C. Shaw, aeq.; Doreen S. Harward, Cecilia M. Bright, Florence A. Harris; Elizabeth M'Lean, (e) P. C. Spender, aeq.; *(e) Isabella Brigden, Hilda M. Broome, aeq.; P. W. Pearson, Elsie A. Wicks, Bessie Wright; Minnifred D. Metcalfe, Ellice M. Nosworthy, aeq.; (e) T. A. Lappin, (e) Teresa Gillies, Margery H. Anderson, Elizabeth A. Hirst, Kathleen M. Donovan, Kathleen M. Hore; (e) Margaret A. Mansley, Lina Sherman, Mildred J. Baker, Olive K. Crane, B.A., Gwendoline E. North, (e) Rose M. Tunchon, (e) Hilda Fleming, aeq.; O. V. A. Abram, *(e) F. J. Bayliss, Joyce M. Chapman, A. G. T. Keech.

PHILOSOPHY I.

LOGIC AND PSYCHOLOGY.

Pass (alphabetical).—*Thelma Arnold, H. M. Bloom, Nora A. E. Bowles, Sadie F. Brewster, F. E. E. Brooks, G. H. Brown, Eunice M. Budge, Joan D. Bullen, B.A., Agnes T. Burkitt, Margaret A. Buxton, Catriona M. C. Cameron, Doris A. Chadwick, Rosalie H. Collins, Winifred M. E. Corkran, Ailsa Craig, H. A. Cubis, W. E. Cummings, Isabel T. Cunningham, *Mary C. Davis, A. T. Edwards, Edith Ferguson-Murdoch, Florence M. Finch, W. E. R. Francis, Mabel L. Graham, Dorothy C. Green, Hilda C. Hancock, Fill O. A. Hawthorne-Wilson, *A. G. Hill, Ruth Hindmarsh, *Florence M. Hornibrook, Dorothy Irwin, Maud F. Jensen, Vera F. Kent, Edith I. Kerr, R. S. Lee, W. N. Lock, *Irene M. McMurtrie, H. J. Manion, *W. Martin, Margaret E. Minogue, *H. F. Mitchell, Marjorie Z. L. Monaghan, F. J. Moroney, Father A. Moulsdale, *E. P. Patterson, N. S. Pickering, Ida L. Price, Mildred Begg, Brenda N. Richardson, M. Roddy, J. M. Ross, Marion I. Sandow, Annie L. I. Smith, J. A. Souter, Ada G. M. Stove, Mary H. Tilse, A. E. Townsend, Esther L. Tuckey, *Doris M. Turner, J. D. Warland, Dorothy C. Weir, Annie Weston, *V. J. White, Fannie E. Witts, B.Sc.,

PHILOSOPHY II.

ANCIENT PHILOSOPHY.

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M.D. EXAMINATION.

PATHOLOGY (OCTOBER).

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SURGERY.

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FIRST YEAR EXAMINATION.

CHEMISTRY.

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PHYSICS I.

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FACULTY OF SCIENCE.

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ZOOLOGY I.

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GEOLOGY I.

University Prize for Geology: Mary M. Bingham, Margaret H. O'Dwyer, aeq. Acting Professor Cotton's Prize for Field Work: Eleanor J. Crawford. Prox. acc.: Margaret H. O'Dwyer. High distinction: Mary M. Bingham, Margaret H. O'Dwyer, aeq.; Alice M. Sandon, Rosa H. Harrison, Eleanor J. Crawford. Distinction: C. V. Ferriss, A. G. Duncan, L. H. Warner, T. R. Mason; S. R. Bilbe, *R. T. W. Jane, Lilian A. Skinner, aeq. Credit: Henrietta S. Dreyer, R. G. Hook, H. G. Raggatt, *A. W. H. Beaumont, E. T. M. Wallace, W. L. Havard, B. T. Dunlop. Pass (alphabetical): A. J. Allan, Molly G. Beavan, Mary S. Boag, May W. Brown, G. J. Byrnes, J. Clemenger, T. M. Davy, *G. E. Dennett, Barbara A. Dudley, M. C. Fleck, Harriett W. Griffith, W. A. M'Laren, Christina M'Rae, Dorothy Marshall, *P. C. Moss, G. D. Osborne, W. H. Roberts, Flora E. Sharpe, *Doris Stilwell, E. F. Trist, Dorothy A. Turner, *A. J. Webb, Lilian G. Wright.

MATHEMATICS I.

Pass (alphabetical): A. J. Allan, Mary V. Baker, S. R. Bilbe, Mary M. Bingham, Kathleen M. Connolly, * G. E. Dennett, A. G. Duncan, C. V. Ferris, C. W. Greentree, W. L. Havard, Edna N. Herbert, R. G. Hook, Irene M. Inwood, * R. T. W. Jane, Alice McCormack, W. A. McLaren, T. R. Mason, Frances M. Mills, * P. C. Moss, Dorothy Nielsen, Frances M. Nowell, G. D. Osborne, H. G. Raggatt, Alice M. Sandon, Flora E. Sharpe, Dorothy M. Sinfield, Mabel I. Stevens, Dorothy P. Tarrant, E. F. Trist, E. T. M. Wallace, L. H. Warner, Phyllis White.

The following have completed the Second Year Examination: Julia L. Amphlett, P. N. W. Andersen, Alberta C. P. Andrews, Jean Angelinetta, Marie Bentivoglio, Esme T. Bevan, Alexina F. Drake, Ethel B. Durie, Violet L. Evens, A. W. Graham, Margaret M. Humphrey, Dorothy M. Hutchinson, T. Iredale, Ivy Litchfield, Valerie L. McMullen, Florence E. Middleton, Maud L. Moon, Ruth O. Moorcroft, Mary M. Peart, Dorothy K. Powell, Hilda M. Procter, Kathleen E. Sadleir, R. B. Scammell, Elsie M. Segaert, Mabel D. Slade, Sylvia A. Spier, J. G. Stephens, Helena G. Streeb, Dorothy A. Toone, R. F. Watson, H. Yates.

CLASS LISTS.

CHEMISTRY II.

Caird Scholarship.—T. Iredale, J. G. Stephens, aeq. High distinction: T. Iredale, J. G. Stephens, aeq. Distinction: P. N. W. Andersen, Mary M. Peart. Credit: Alberta C. P. Andrews, Ethel B. Durie, A. W. Graham, C. G. Lauder, aeq.; H. S. Stewart. Higher Standard.—Pass (alphabetical): L. Hepburn, Maude L. Moon, R. B. Scammell, Margaret Swan, Dorothy A. Toone, H. Yates. Lower Standard.—Pass: Marie Bentivoglio, C. E. Broome, Elsie M. F. Chalker, Ivy Litchfield, Kathleen Morgan.

PHYSICS II.

Pass.—Higher standard: P. N. W. Andersen, T. Iredale, J. G. Stephens, R. F. Watson. Lower standard: V. E. Plummer, H. S. Stewart.

BOTANY II.

High distinction: Dorothy K. Powell. Distinction: Jean Angelinetta, Julia L. Amphlett, Marie Bentivoglio, R. A. Keys. Credit: Mary E. H. Kilminster, Helena G. Streeb. Higher standard.—Pass (alphabetical): R. S. Andrews, Esme T. Bevan, Edith C. Blackwell, Violet L. Evens, Frieda F. Friederich, Doris Hatfield, Dorothy M. Hutchinson, Amy B. McCoy, Valerie L. McMullen, Kathleen Morgan, Hilda M. Procter, R. B. Scammell, Elsie M. Segaert, Mabel D. Slade, A. J. Way. Lower Standard.—Pass (alphabetical): Ruby C. Biden, Alexina F. Drake, Margaret M. Humphrey, Rita A. Macdonald, Florence E. Middleton, Ruth O. Moorcroft, Kathleen E. Sadleir, Sylvia A. Spier, Doris H. Stephen, Ursula P. Tierney.

ZOOLOGY II.

Credit: A. W. Graham, Mabel D. Slade, Julia L. Amphlett, Frieda F. Friederich, Jean Angelinetta, G. L. Ewan. Higher Standard.—Pass: Ruby C. Biden, Violet L. Evens, Margaret M. Humphrey, Dorothy M. Hutchinson, Rita A. Macdonald, Ruth O. Moorcroft, Hilda M. Procter, Kathleen E. Sadleir, Sylvia A. Spier, Ursula P. Tierney.

GEOLOGY II.

Deas Thomson Scholarship and Professor David's Prize for Geology II.: Marie Bentivoglio, Mary M. Peart, aeq. High Distinction: Marie Bentivoglio, Mary M. Peart, aeq.; Dorothy K. Powell. Distinction: C. E. Broome, R. B. Scammell, H. Yates, aeq.; T. L. Willan, Doris H. Stephen, Edith C. Blackwell. Credit: Amy B. McCoy, Valerie L. McMullen, Dorothy A. Toone, aeq.; Florence E. Middleton, L. Hepburn, aeq.; R. S. Andrews, Helena G. Streeb, C. G. G. Lauder, Hazel E. O'Connor. Higher Standard.—Pass (alphabetical): Elsie M. E. Chalker, V. E. Plummer, Elsie M. Segaert, L. W. C. Tompson.

PHYSIOLOGY I.

Credit: Violet L. Evens, Jean Angelinetta, Ethel B. Durie, Florence E. Middleton, Ella L. Martin (Arts). Higher Standard.—Pass (alphabetical): Julia L. Amphlett, Esme T. Bevan, Agatha W. Goadby, B.A., Margaret M. Humphrey, Dorothy M. Hutchinson, Mary E. H. Kilminster, Valerie L. McMullen, Maude L. Moon, Ruth O. Moorcroft, Dorothy K. Powell, Hilda M. Procter, Kathleen E. Sadleir, Elsie M. Segaert, Sylvia A. Spier, Helena G. Streeb. Lower Standard.—Pass: W. T. Austin.

MATHEMATICS II.

Pass.—Higher standard: P. N. W. Anderson, Esme T. Bevan, Ethel B. Durie, Doris Hatfield, Maud L. Moon, Mary M. Peart, H. E. G. Rayner, J. G. Stephens, Margaret Swan, R. F. Watson, H. Yates. Lower standard: A. W. Graham, T. Iredale, H. S. Stewart, Dorothy A. Toone.

ASTRONOMY.

H. C. Russell prize for astronomy: H. E. G. Rayner. High distinction: H. E. G. Rayner. Credit: W. F. J. Hatfield, B.A. Pass: D. J. Shearman (arts), R. F. Watson.

The following have completed the third year examination:—Ida D. Barnes, Eileen M. Broughton, Lilian E. Campbell, Mary S. Cowie, Kathleen M. Cronin, Marie Erhard, A. Evans, T. H. Hughes, Florence E. Hutton, W. J. Kirchner, *A. J. Matheson, Mona Moriarty, Estelle Penman, Eva M. Pollard, Alma M. Puxley, Leila B. Quigley, Elinor C. Ross, Heather H. Sherrie, Erica S. Smith, Olive D. Storey, Myrtle E. Thompson, Elsie M. Webb.

CLASS LISTS.

CHEMISTRY III.

Honours at Graduation.—Class II.: A. Evans, W. J. Kirchner. Pass (alphabetical): Ida D. Barnes, Kathleen M. Cronin, Agatha W. Goadby, B.A., T. B. Hughes, Estelle Penman, Eva M. Pollard, Elinor C. Ross, Myrtle E. Thompson, Elsie M. Webb.

ORGANIC CHEMISTRY III.

PURE AND APPLIED.

Honours.—Class II.: A. Evans. Pass: Kathleen M. Cronin, T. H. Hughes, W. J. Kirchner, Estelle Penman, Myrtle E. Thompson.

BOTANY III.

University Medal: Heather H. Sherrie. Honours at Graduation, Class II.: Eileen M. Broughton, Marie Erhard, *A. J. Matheson, J. P. Shelton, Heather H. Sherrie. Pass (alphabetical): Lilian E. Campbell, Mary S. Cowie, Florence E. Hutton, Mona Moriarty, Alma M. Puxley, Leila B. Quigley, Erica S. Smith, Olive D. Storey.

ZOOLOGY III.

Professor Haswell's prize for Zoology III: Marie Erhard. Distinction: E. A. Briggs, B.Sc., Marie Erhard, Mona Moriarty. Pass: Florence E. Hutton. Honours at Graduation, Class II.: Marie Erhard, Mona Moriarty.

PHYSIOLOGY II.

University Medal.—Heather H. Sherrie. Honours at Graduation.—Class I.: Heather H. Sherrie. Class II.: Eva M. Pollard, Erica S. Smith. Pass: Eileen M. Broughton, E. J. Clinch, B.A.

MATHEMATICS III.

Pass (alphabetical).—Ida D. Barnes, M. H. Bela, G. A. Jenkins, D. W. Magill, A. J. Pib, J. Rankin, Elinor C. Ross, H. R. Schmidt, Elsie M. Webb.

ENGINEERING.

The following have completed the first year examination:—J. H. M. Barbour, A. Bennett, H. C. Burnett, H. B. Darke, A. N. Eedy, A. M. Forbes, J. W. R. Forsyth, N. M. Goddard, K. R. M. Hart, J. A. Holt, A. T. Jones, F. L. Kirby, J. F. McIlwraith, I. R. Macintosh, R. Paterson, E. Paxinos, W. M. Rourke, F. T. Satterthwaite, T. M. Shanahan, D. H. Sky, N. Sligar, J. F. Spence, G. B. Thomas, T. L. Willan.

HONOUR LISTS.

Chemistry, I.—High distinction: F. T. Satterthwaite. Distinction: K. R. M. Hart, N. M. Goddard.—H. B. Darke. Credit: J. A. Holt, W. M. Rourke.

Geology, I.—High distinction: N. M. Goddard, A. T. Jones, aeq. Distinction: R. Paterson, F. T. Satterthwaite, J. F. M'Ilwraith. Credit: J. A. Holt, J. T. Spence, G. Roarty.

The following have completed the second-year examination:—

Department of Civil Engineering.—F. W. Potter, H. B. Smythe, G. A. Stuckey, R. K. E. Woodhouse.

Department of Mechanical and Electrical Engineering.—K. A. Cameron, E. V. Sams, S. J. Young.

Department of Mining and Metallurgy.—N. H. Martin.

HONOUR LIST.

Engineering Chemistry.—High distinction: R. K. E. Woodhouse. Distinction: G. A. Stuckey, E. V. Sams, N. H. Martin. Credit: S. J. Young, K. A. Cameron, C. C. W. Collins.

The following have completed the fourth year examination:—Department of Civil Engineering.—W. Kenniff, G. T. Pegum.

Mining and Metallurgy.—Fourth Year Examination.—Assaying.—Pass: F. H. Mullens.

Mining.—Pass: F. H. Mullens.

Surveying III.—Pass: F. H. Mullens.

VETERINARY SCIENCE.

SECOND YEAR EXAMINATION.

VETERINARY ANATOMY.

Credit.—H. G. Kritsch. Pass: J. N. Lawson.

Physiology.—Pass: H. G. Kritsch, J. N. Lawson.

AGRICULTURAL SCIENCE.

FIRST YEAR EXAMINATION.

Chemistry I.—Pass (alphabetical): Lorna Byrne, E. H. Harvey, Muriel E. Hutton, Isabel Millar, Margaret A. Ramsay.

Geology I.—Pass: Lorna Byrne, E. H. Harvey, Margaret A. Ramsay.

Botany I.—Pass: Lorna Byrne, I. Clunies-Ross, E. H. Harvey, Muriel E. Hutton, Isabel Millar, Margaret A. Ramsay.

Zoology I.—Pass: Lorna Byrne, Margaret A. Ramsay.

SECOND YEAR EXAMINATION.

Principles of Agriculture I.—High distinction: Margaret Deer, B.A., B.Sc. Distinction: R. H. Anderson, P. Hindmarsh, B.A., J. K. Taylor, aeq.; F. A. Perkins, * H. W. Hamilton. Credit: *C. Ferris.

Economic Entomology.—High distinction: Margaret Deer, B.A., B.Sc. Distinction: P. Hindmarsh, B.A.; F. A. Perkins; R. H. Anderson. Credit: J. K. Taylor.

Chemistry II.—Credit: J. K. Taylor. Pass: R. H. Anderson, P. Hindmarsh, B.A.; F. A. Perkins.

Botany II.—Credit: R. H. Anderson, P. Hindmarsh, B.A. Pass: F. A. Perkins, J. K. Taylor.

Agricultural Geology.—Distinction: F. A. Perkins, J. K. Taylor, aeq; P. Hindmarsh, B.A. Credit: R. H. Anderson.

THIRD YEAR EXAMINATION.

Pass: J. P. Shelton.

Agricultural Botany and Plant Pathology.—High distinction: J. P. Shelton.

Agricultural Chemistry.—Distinction: J. P. Shelton.

(e) Evening student.

* Unmatriculated.

LATE MR. M. J. WALSHE.

The death occurred on Saturday, at Walcha, of Mr. M. J. Walshe, from heart failure. Born in Killarney, Ireland, in 1834, he studied medicine at the Dublin University for three years, but gave it up and came out to Australia. He settled in the New England district, and managed Tia station for Messrs. Browne and Sons. Of a genial disposition, he was one of the most popular men in the district, and was a member of the Land Board and the district coroner up to the time of his death. He was a near relation of the late Mr. Cecil Rhodes. He leaves a wife, one son, four married daughters—Mrs. Arthur M'Elhone, of Potts Point; Mrs. Camphin, wife of Mr. W. J. Camphin, police magistrate; Mrs. J. O'Hara, Corronwong station, Monaro; and Mrs. Harold Curtis, of Cooma; and the Misses Mary and Pearl Walshe.

AN APPEAL.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—With the present crisis in this life and death struggle for our Empire, I, like many another physically fit married man, am anxious to join the ranks. I have a wife who is not in strong health, and three children. My chief concern in leaving for oversea is, however, in regard to my two boys, who are at a critical age in their training—12 and 14 years. It has struck me that there may easily be found a gentleman who is ineligible for service who would do his bit by adopting my boys for the period of the war—or longer, if I do not return. They are useful boys, and well-behaved above the average, with college education; self-reliant and resourceful above the average. They have seen some years of country life among sheep and cattle, can ride, drive, drove, milk, and make themselves useful in a garden, etc. I should prefer to hear from some father who has given his own son for King and the Empire.

I am, etc.,

H.G.T.

Dec. 15.

AMUSEMENTS.

MUSICAL MEDLEY AT THE REPERTORY.

The promoters of the musical medley organised in aid of the comforts fund of the 4th and 56th Battalions and the 1st Australian Machine Gun Company, which took place in the Repertory Theatre on Saturday evening, and was repeated last night, have every reason to congratulate themselves. The theatre on both evenings was packed, and the performers gave a splendid account of themselves. The short sketches were ably produced, the characters being well sustained, and in the revue there was some excellent singing and beautifully rendered choruses. Amongst the audience last night were the Governor-General and Lady Helen Munro Ferguson, who were attended by Captain Haskett-Smith, A.D.C., and Mr. Harman, private secretary. A one-act comedy, "Congratulations," in which a young girl and a young man at Oxford are continually congratulated on being engaged before they actually are, was well produced and the various characters well portrayed. Included in the cast were Miss Susan Campbell (Aunt Alice), Miss Helen Onslow (Edna Weatherell), Mr. Tony Street (Dick Charlton), Mr. Montague Stephen (Uncle George), Miss Reta Haines (Miss Spicer), Miss Agatha Flower (Lady Duff), Miss Cecily Catterall and Miss Dorothy Luscombe (The Dillons). The scene represented the drawing-room at Mrs. Appleby's house. The play was produced by Mr. J. Plumpton Wilson. A short sketch, "Burglar and the Girl," was well acted. In the revue many of the singers were ably assisted by a chorus, amongst those taking part being Misses Helen Onslow, O. King, Joan Garland, Jessie Garland, P. and R. Macarthur, B. Levy, R. Lumsdaine, M'Millan, S. and E. Campbell, H. Laidley, B. Bowker, M. Little, P. M'Morran, Nina Massie, Reta Haines, A. Flower, A. Rabett, M. Langtree, and Messrs. T. Street, M. Stephen, and Capt. Verge. The choruses were arranged by Miss Minnie Hooper. Beautiful bouquets and baskets of flowers were handed up to the various performers. It may be mentioned that much of the success of the performance was due to the untiring efforts of Mrs. Macarthur Onslow (president) and Mrs. Langtree (hon. secretary-treasurer).

"OLD WOMAN WHO LIVED IN A SHOE."

Miss Amy Vard will direct performances of the Christmas pantomime "The Old Woman Who Lived in a Shoe" next Saturday, at the Coronation Theatre, Bondi Junction, and her pupils will repeat the burlesque on Saturday, December 29.

THE MISSES SCULLY'S RECITAL.

The Misses Scully announce the annual recital by their pupils for this evening, at the Repertory Theatre, when various artists will assist in an attractive programme. Plan at Paling's.

MR. HARRY THOMAS'S RECITAL.

Mr. Harry Thomas and pupils, at St. James's Hall to-night, at 7.45, will perform the trial scene from "The Merchant of Venice," with Mr. Harry Thomas as Shylock. Little Irene Rich will appear as Arthur in a scene from "King John." Miss Lilian Gibson will sing. Plan and tickets at Paling's.

LAWRENCE CAMPBELL STUDENTS.

The students of the Lawrence Campbell school will give their Christmas recital to-morrow evening, in St. James's Hall, in aid of a Christmas cheer fund for the poor. The programme will include recitations, monologues, a children's playlet, "Bo-Peep and Boy Blue," and "Bumble's Courtship," by Miss Cecil Haines and Master Jack Radford. The plan is at Paling's.

THE McKENZIE MATINEE.

A students' matinee will be given by the pupils of Miss Ella and Mr. Warwick McKenzie to-day at 3 p.m. in St. James's Hall, when an interesting programme will be presented. Miss Vera Playford (a pupil of Mr. Harry Thomas) will assist.

THE FERRARI-PASSMORE RECITAL.

Next Thursday evening Signora Lucia Ferrar-Passmore will give her annual students' recital at King's Hall, when Mr. Charles Philip will assist as pianist, and an attractive programme will be presented. All seats must be booked at Paling's.

ANCELON-CHAPMAN RECITALS.

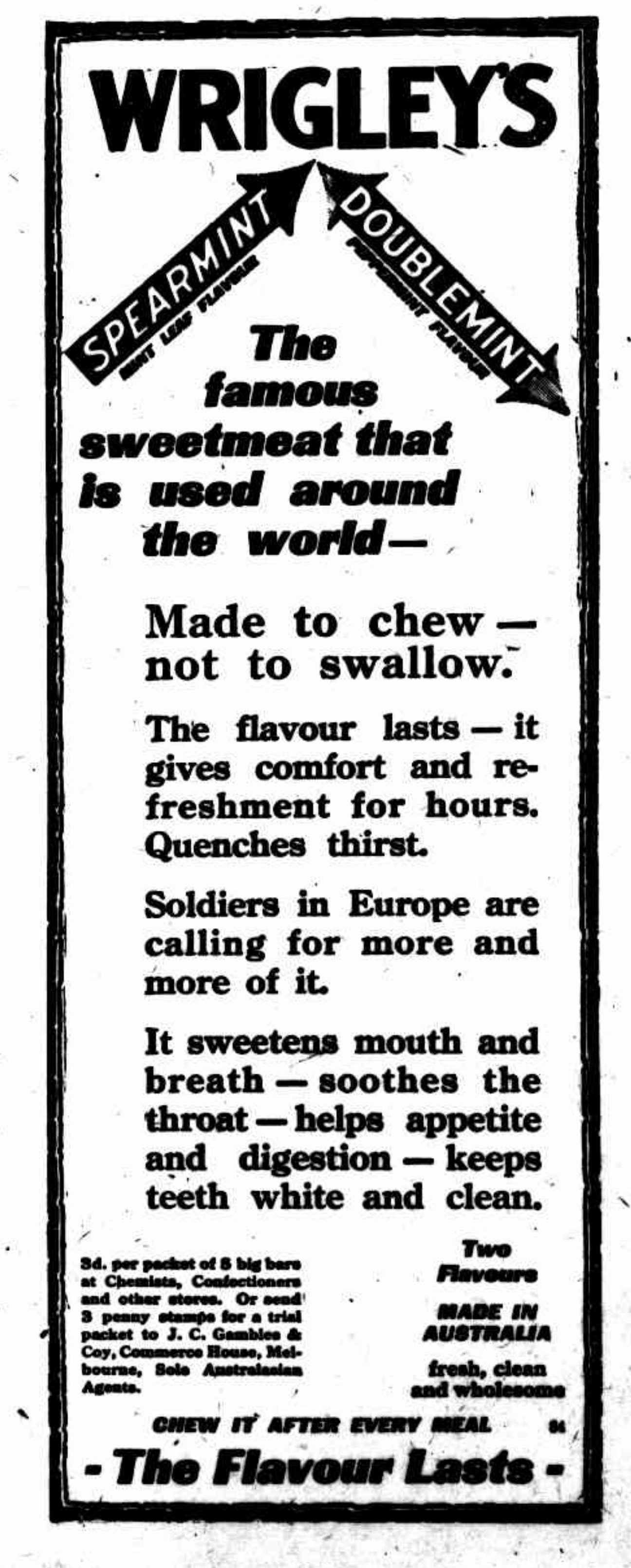
"A Midsummer Night's Dream" will be one of the features of the last of the 1917 Ancelon-Chapman School of Elocution recitals to be held in St. James's Hall next Saturday evening. The whole entertainment will be in aid of the Mission Zone Fund for little children and sick poor. Torzillo will supply the music. The plan is at Paling's.

"HUTS AT THE FRONT" CONCERT.

A concert has been organised by Mrs. T. H. Kelly and Mrs. Leonard Dodds, to take place in King's Hall on Friday next, at 8.30 p.m., in aid of the Church of England Huts in Egypt and France. The programme will include "La Ballade du Desespere," in which Henri Murger's tragic lines will be declaimed by Mrs. T. H. Kelly, with Mrs. Alex. Gordon for the "Song of the Angel," and Miss Teece, Mr. T. H. Kelly, and Miss Brenda De Loitte (piano, violin, and 'cello) to complete Bemberg's beautiful musical setting. Mrs. W. J. Plogsted will recite, Miss Katharyn Stevenson and Mr. Philip Wilson will sing, and Miss Margaret Chalmers (piano) and Miss Winifred Carter (harp) will assist. The plan is at Paling's.

COOGEE CARNIVAL.

Coogee will be en fete afternoons and evenings from Friday next till January 5, in aid of the St. John Ambulance, Randwick division. The monster Christmas carnival to be held throughout that period will include riding in Japanese rickshaws, on Egyptian donkeys, and a Belgian marionette show with over 100 performers has been engaged. A huge open-air dancing floor will be available. The official opening will take place at 3 p.m. next Saturday, and Liverpool Headquarters Band will be in attendance.



SPORTING.

THE TURF.

The nominations received yesterday for the principal handicaps in connection with the A.J.C. Anniversary meeting on the 19th and 26th prox. show a slight increase on those for the corresponding races this year, the Challenge Stakes attracting 58, as against 60, and the Anniversary Handicap 51 as against 44. The entrants for the sprint race include Sweet Corn, Merimee, Marie Odile, Poitrina, Promised Land, Quinn's Post, Panacre, Bonnie Plume, Colingo, Conacre, Dame Acre, Eulacre, Ickle Lass, Shiela Pat, and Dave Whitton; while among the candidates for the Anniversary Handicap are Cisco, Sasanof, Snow King, Two Blues, Mehi King, Theovil, Ulva's Isle, Lady Valin, Medley, Wedding Day, Tonio, The Christian Brother, and Chantemerle.

The programme is announced for the Warwick Farm January meeting on the 5th prox., and the half-dozen events comprised therein carry in the aggregate 500 sovs prize money. Entries will be received by the secretary, Mr. H. B. Dando, up to 4 p.m. on Monday next, the 24th inst.

The totalisator investments at Rosebery on Saturday amounted to £4273, of which £2132 was handled in the paddock, and £2141 in the St. Leger reserve.

"Albefair" (Ashfield): The backer of Lady Elysian collects the full winnings.

Mac (Dulwich Hill): Ramilies was a starter in the Novice Handicap at Kembla Grange last Wednesday.

There was some speculation yesterday on the principal handicaps of the A.J.C. December and Summer meetings. The best-backed horses for the Villiers Stakes were Sobrina, Mehi King, and Dessert, and Mehi King headed the quotations, closely followed by Sobrina, after whom came Cetigne, Promised Land, and Norbury. Sasanof was most talked about for the Summer Cup, and others marketable were Chantemerie, Bursar, and Poitrel.

LATEST SCRATCHINGS.

The following scratchings were notified yesterday:—

A.J.C. DECEMBER MEETING.

Villiers' Stakes: Pretty Cool, Parsing, King o' Malt, Marvano, Greenstead, Flambard, Crooked Blaze, Que Sera.
Nursery Handicap: The Elect, Aries.
Trial Handicap: Bonnie Countess.
Highweight Handicap: Poitrina, Shiela Pat.

A.J.C. SUMMER MEETING.

December Stakes: Princess Clara, Salute, Kuriong, Logane.
Summer Cup: Parsing, Lambourne, Hitachi, Cetigne, Blazing Hot, Roman Queen, Sobrina.
Nursery Handicap: Mangoriwa, Oliver Kay.
All engagements: Ablaze, King Arthur, Daddy Christmas, Girilah.

TATTERSALL'S CLUB ANNUAL MEETING.

Carrington Stakes: Parsing, Pretty Cool.
Tattersall's Club Cup: Parsing.

V.A.T.C. BOXING DAY MEETING.
MELBOURNE, Monday.

Koornang Welter: Lancer Plume.

AUSTRALIAN JOCKEY CLUB.

Appended are the weights for the minor handicaps on the card for the A.J.C. December Meeting on Saturday next:—

Hurdle Race, about 2m.—Greek Fire, 12st 5lb; Tararu Jack, 12st; Bitter Ale, 11st; Coominya, 10st 12lb; Mulgawillah, 10st 7lb; Stokham, 9st 10lb; Lightning Dream, 9st 5lb; Dood, 9st 5lb; Pro Tem, 9st; Loufra, 9st; Miss Bunty, 9st; Kacanga, 9st; Lochnell, 9st; Centre, 9st.

Nursery Handicap, 5f.—Palm Leaf, 9st 12lb; Aries, 8st 11lb; Pacific, 8st 9lb; Woorawa, 8st 7lb; Pamphlet, 8st 2lb; Paptase, 8st 2lb; Iranain, 8st 2lb; Sunnyside, 8st 1lb; Principal Boy, 7st 12lb; Earl of Clare, 7st 12lb; Peat, 7st 12lb; Son of the Desert, 7st 12lb; Duke Hugo, 7st 12lb; Aranap, 7st 12lb; Princess Lucy, 7st 11lb; Slake, 7st 11lb; Blended, 7st 10lb; Irish Guard, 7st 10lb; Tumurry, 7st 10lb; The Elect, 7st 10lb; Shell Shock, 7st 10lb; Nulgarra, 7st 10lb; Langbank, 7st 9lb; Kenilbrook, 7st 7lb; Red Fox, 7st 7lb; Varek, 7st 7lb; Mucilage, 7st 7lb; Persian Gift, 7st 7lb; Khublai Khan, 7st 7lb; Salary, 7st 7lb; Sweet Sounds, 7st 7lb; Ormint, 7st 7lb; Marquet, 7st 7lb; Ballet Queen, 7st 7lb; Ambrosial, 7st 7lb; Avenue, 7st 7lb; Princess Clara, 7st 7lb; Waterproof, 7st 7lb; Private King, 7st 7lb; Miss Dolan, 7st 4lb; Zaratello, 7st 4lb; Camouflage, 7st 4lb; Irish Question, 7st 4lb; Coastland, 7st 4lb; Myanley, 7st 4lb; Yacanba, 7st 4lb; Pantomime, 7st 2lb; La Belle Fille, 7st 2lb; Ria Biscuit, 7st; Wattle Blossom, 7st; Constellation, 7st; Languco, 7st; Rueco, 6st 10lb; Merwyn, 6st 7lb.

Trial Handicap, 1m.—Earlsan, 9st 12lb; King Arthur, 9st 7lb; Flambard, 9st; Obvious, 9st; Lambourne, 9st; Theovil, 8st 11lb; Ballam, 8st 11lb; Chantarelia, 8st 11lb; Hem, 8st 11lb; Goorianawa, 8st 11lb; Meriola, 8st 9lb; Otrallin, 8st 9lb; Antepois, 8st 9lb; Scream, 8st 9lb; Marie Odile, 8st 9lb; Blazing Hot, 8st 7lb; Raybex, 8st 7lb; Hecate, 8st 7lb; Leucosia, 8st 7lb; Camp Out, 8st 5lb; Dynasty, 8st 4lb; Mountwood, 8st 4lb; Maid of the South, 8st 4lb; Krithia, 8st 4lb; Trillimbah, 8st 3lb; Celano, 8st 3lb; Gavot, 8st 3lb; Tressanita, 8st 3lb; Gloucester Castle, 8st 3lb; Chattaman, 8st 3lb; Rebus, 8st 3lb; Trematolo, 8st 3lb; Powdal, 8st 3lb; Cherso, 8st 1lb; Gurrawang, 8st 1lb; Fisher's Hope, 8st 1lb; Lady Liege, 8st; Tom Gallon, 8st; Varico, 8st; Girilah, 8st; Poitrel, 8st; Bruyere, 8st; Joy Gun, 8st; Marvano, 8st; Modify, 8st; Bratony, 7st 12lb; Prince Comedy, 7st 11lb; Trenfoil, 7st 11lb; Ablaze, 7st 11lb; Silentia, 7st 7lb; Kamiah, 7st 7lb; Amasonia, 7st 7lb; Crooked Blaze, 7st 7lb; Lady Charis, 7st 7lb; Lonnie Countess, 7st 7lb; Baby Vive, 7st 3lb; Almorist, 7st 3lb; Harcliff, 7st 3lb; Don Roberto, 7st; Tremadia, 7st.

Holiday Handicap, 1¼m.—Cetigne, 9st 6lb; Cisco, 9st 5lb; Ulva's Isle, 9st 3lb; Quinologist, 9st 3lb; Bombita, 8st 12lb; Secret Service, 8st 12lb; Toison, 8st 10lb; Mehi King, 8st 6lb; Norbury, 8st 6lb; Two Blues, 8st 4lb; First Lesson, 8st; Roman Queen, 8st; Trinobantes, 7st 12lb; Kenltic, 7st 11lb; Tressy, 7st 11lb; Charleville, 7st 10lb; Highland Band, 7st 10lb; Clydeside, 7st 9lb; Lambourne, 7st 8lb; Theovil, 7st 4lb; Poitrel, 7st 2lb; Ladino, 6st 12lb; Camp Out, 6st 12lb; Blazing Hot, 6st 11lb; Marvano, 6st 9lb; Fadolph, 6st 9lb; Trusty Blade, 6st 9lb; Girilah, 6st 7lb; Karumah, 6st 7lb.

High Weight Handicap, 7f.—Colugo, 11st 7lb; Poitrina, 11st 4lb; Sweet Corn, 10st 7lb; Sheila Pat, 10st 7lb; Dear Laddie, 10st 7lb; First Lesson, 10st 2lb; Polymite, 10st; Raven, 10st; Entaire, 9st 12lb; Cerise Colours, 9st 10lb; Faithful Laddie, 9st 10lb; Gallipoli, 9st 10lb; Greenstead, 9st 10lb; Delara, 9st 10lb; Carafon, 9st 10lb; Mountain Lassie, 9st 7lb; Lothian, 9st 7lb; Agincourt, 9st 6lb; Heatherbrae, 9st 6lb; Lord Windermere, 9st 6lb; Tintometer, 9st 6lb; Tonia, 9st 6lb; Morus, 9st 4lb; Meriola, 9st 2lb; Gringo, 9st 2lb; Franzac, 9st 2lb; Keniford, 9st 2lb; Gillallambi, 9st; Sorry, 9st; Lornette, 8st 13lb; Dick Wedgewood, 8st 13lb; Ickle Lass, 8st 13lb; Alice Kenilworth, 8st 12lb; Mellowmum, 8st 12lb; Kirribilli, 8st 12lb; Saily, 8st 10lb; Gabot, 8st 10lb; Joy Gun, 8st 12lb; Ablaze, 8st 10lb; Astrologer, 8st 10lb; Fungi, 8st 7lb; Swerve, 8st 7lb; Cooloide, 8st 7lb; Durga, 8st 7lb.

ANNIVERSAY MEETING.

The following nominations have been received for the principal handicaps of the A.J.C. Anniversary meeting on the 19th and 26th prox.:—

Challenge Stakes, 6f.—Greenstead, Lady Liege, Kilmaine, La Steppe, King o' Malt, Merv's Pride, Sweet Corn, Lucky Dip, Mirimee, Princess Path, Marie Odill, Donore, Some Boy, New Brew, Anotto, Promised Land, Carafon, Hitachi, Framac, Poitrina, Cereica, Quinn's Post, Linistre, Panacre, Bonnie Plume, Mountain Lassie, Polymite, Barsola, Rosedell, Gavot, Dessert, Briseis, Manna, New Ireland, Joy Gun, Salutaria, Colugo, Conacre, Princess Winifred, Morus, Norbury, Brian, Ickle Lass, Throssell, Wedding Day, Tonio, Hem, Tasman's Isle, Dame Acre, Eulacre, Irritation, Riven, Lady Ergle, Lady Bayard, Shiela Pat, Tolosa, Leucosia, Dave Whitton.

Anniversary Handicap, 1¼m.—Mafoso, Lady Liege, Marvano, Cisco, Sealed Lips, Sasanof, Trillanah, Duntulm, Dollar Dictator, Snow King, Swervel, Poitrel, Two Blues, Mehi King, Cesarious, Promised Land, Hitachi, Theovil, Flament, Persian Dream, Phast Boy, Decorate, Swanker, Scoutmaster, Camp Out, Ulva's Isle, Cramot, Antepois, Kenltic, Lady Valin, John Porter, Medley, Norbury, Crooked Blaze, Roman Queen, Ladino, King Mostyn, Old Munginda, Brian, Throssell, Wedding Day, Tonio, The Christian Brother, Bruyere, Clydeside, Gadabout, Bombita, Chantemerle, Bonnie Countess, Rebus, Kennaquhair.

KRAMBACH TURF CLUB.

WINGHAM, Monday.

Subjoined are the results of the Krambach Turf Club's meeting on Saturday last:—

Opening Handicap, 6f.—J. Paterson's Eastern Chimes, 8st 9lb (Harvey), 1; A. Hawkins' Rooloo, 7st 9lb (McMahon), 2; F. C. Onslow's Cathedral, 9st 5lb, 3. Monte Calare, 9st, also started. Betting: 6 to 4 v Rooloo, 2 to 1 v Cathedral, 5 to 2 v Eastern Chimes, 5 to 1 v Monte Calare. Won comfortably. Time, 1m 18s.

Maiden Novice Handicap, 5f.—T. Miller's E.J.M., 8st 5lb (Miller), 1; R. McLennan's Purfleet, 9st (Ellis), 2; Gordon Clarke's Hautbrae, 8st 8lb (Felton), 3. Betting: Even money on Purfleet, 6 to 4 v E.J.M., 4 to 1 v Hautbrae. Won easily, all the way. Time, 1m 5s.

Krambach Handicap, 1m.—Mr. Gamack's Poserina, 7st 10lb (Felton), 1; B. Weingarth's Monte Calare, 8st 12lb (Ellis), 2; T. Miller's Failford, 7st 10lb (Miller), 3. Betting: Even money on Poserino, 6 to 4 v Failford, 2 to 1 v Monte Calare. Won all the way. Time, 1m 17s.

Novice Handicap, 6f.—Joe Paterson's Eastern Chimes, 8st 12lb, inc. 7lb pen. (Harvey), 1; R. McLennan's Purfleet, 8st (Geegan), 2; T. Matthews' Comara, 8st 10lb (Nelson), 3. King Muse also went to the post, but pulled away from his jockey, and was left out of the field. Betting: 2 to 1 on Eastern Chimes, 4 to 1 each v Comara and King Muse, 6 to 1 v Purfleet. Won by a length. Time, 1m 18s.

Welter Handicap, 7f.—T. Hogan's Box Seat, 8st 2lb (Felton), 1; B. Weingarth's Monte Calare, 9st 5lb (Ellis), 2; T. Miller's Failford, 8st 2lb (Miller), 3. Betting: Even money on Box Seat, 2 to 1 v Poserino, 10 to 1 each v Cathedral, Monte Calare, and Failford. Won by three-quarters of a length. Time, 1m 30½s.

VICTORIA AMATEUR TURF CLUB.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

Appended are the weights for the Boxing Day meeting of the V.A.T.C.:—

Shoobra Hurdle, 2m and 64yds.—Obi, 11st 6lb; Bonvitas, 11st 4lb; Jether, 10st 7lb; Hobgoblin, 10st 4lb; Naraquong, 10st 2lb; Affinitis, 10st 1lb; Tongoroggan, 10st 1lb; Sports Girl, 10st; Katwyk, 10st; Royal Precedent, 9st 13lb; Hypo, 9st 7lb; Boyne Water, 9st 6lb; Dalcross, 9st 5lb; Anchor Brand, 9st 5lb; Perversion, 9st 3lb; Bridgend, 9st 2lb; Rosyth, 9st 2lb; Lenton, 9st; Jacklin, 9st; Kolora, 9st; Reservoir, 9st.

Juvenile Stakes, 5f.—Red Dome, 9st; Colour, 8st 2lb; Mirana, 8st 2lb; Harp of the North, 8st 2lb; Divine Comedy, 8st 2lb; Susarion, 8st 2lb; Wickie, 8st; Meniacus, 7st 12lb; Dunwill, 7st 12lb; Eastern Star, 7st 12lb; Northern Crown, 7st 11lb; Calix, 7st 11lb; Offspring, 7st 11lb; Girralong, 7st 11lb; War Button, 7st 11lb; Demonte, 7st 10lb; Lillian Blankney, 7st 10lb; Whitadder, 7st 8lb; Myuna, 7st 6lb; Kavastar, 7st 5lb; Thesaura, 7st 4lb; Flagon, 7st 2lb; Chal, 6st 12lb.

Hopetoun Cup, 1m and 3f.—King Kora, 9st; Pacan, 8st 12lb; Wishing Cap, 8st 9lb; Semi Blue, 8st 6lb; First Trim, 8st 4lb; Jack Annandale, 7st 10lb; Admirable Bob, 7st 8lb; Purple Cross, 7st 8lb; Hassendene, 7st 7lb; Red Steel, 7st 7lb; Chief Secretary, 7st 3lb; Vocal King, 7st 2lb; Eltham, 7st 1lb; Litmus, 7st; Pendula, 6st 12lb; Mirrabooka, 6st 11lb; Nebula, 6st 7lb; Vaquero, 6st 7lb; Front Rank, 6st 7lb; Lady Narcissa, 6st 7lb.

Oberon Steeplechase, about 2m.—Pinon, 11st 7lb; Artillery Bill, 11st 8lb; Bessie May, 11st 1lb; Rayon D'Or, 10st 12lb; Highview, 10st 4lb; Fleet Lady, 10st 1lb; Highland Clan, 10st 1lb; Sederick, 9st 13lb; Ven Error, 9st 11lb; Tinto, 9st 11lb; Bonny, 9st 6lb; Flash Bob, 9st 5lb; Muttagunyah, 9st 7lb; Chuquimaca, 9st.

Malvern Handicap (apprentice riders), 7f.—Sir Ibex, 9st 7lb; Shrill, 9st 3lb; Semi Blue, 9st 2lb; Analogy, 8st 12lb; Duverney, 8st 12lb; Edrington, 8st 12lb; Boorlang, 8st 11lb; Half-a-Glass, 8st 10lb; King Arthur, 8st 8lb; Red Steel, 8st 7lb; Saracen, 7st 13lb; Enigmatical, 7st 12lb; Mutina, 7st 10lb; Yooralla, 7st 10lb; Wallwong, 7st 9lb; Lucky Malt, 7st 7lb; Uska, 7st 7lb; Erastus, 7st 6lb; White Slave, 7st 6lb; Monterey, 7st 6lb; Wilfred, 7st 5lb; Dormidor, 7st 4lb; Tharnok, 7st 4lb; Hispania, 7st 2lb; Lapford, 7st 2lb; Kangatong, 7st 2lb; Blue Toorie, 7st; Barley Mow, 7st; Jack Friar, 7st; Flying Challenge, 7st.

Koornang Welter, 1m.—Ipoh, 10st 7lb; Ludovitch, 9st 10lb; Jack Annandale, 9st 5lb; Bonegilla, 9st 1lb; Hassendene, 9st; Chief Secretary, 8st 11lb; Lancer Plume, 8st 10lb; Bobador, 8st 10lb; Luteplayer, 8st 9lb; Western Knight, 8st 8lb; Blackwood, 8st 8lb; Sauci, 8st 2lb; Nebula, 8st 2lb; Distant Star, 8st; Govan, 8st; Vaquero, 7st 11lb; Mountain God, 7st 11lb; Amantine, 7st 11lb; Dormidor, 7st 11lb; Bonguman, 7st 10lb; [illegible] 11lb; Rupland, 7st 8lb; Tra George, 7st 8lb; Kangatong, 7st 9lb; Rydand, 7st 7lb; Euretta, 7st 7lb; Rosebery, 7st 7lb; Manderston, 7st 7lb; Stern, 7st 7lb; McKimmie, 7st 7lb; Barley Mow, 7st 7lb.

VICTORIA RACING CLUB.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

The following are the weights for the principal handicaps in connection with the V.R.C. New Year's Day meeting:—

Standish Handicap, 6f.—Ipoh, 9st 5lb; Three, 9st 2lb; Sir Ibex, 8st 13lb; Que Sera, 8st 12lb; Ludovitch, 8st 8lb; Analogy, 8st 6lb; Maltguard, 8st 8lb; Lucky Beggar, 8st 5lb; Edrington, 8st 1lb; Bonecilla, 7st 12lb; Boorlang, 7st 12lb; Duverney, 7st 12lb; Stibex, 7st 12lb; King Arthur, 7st 11lb; Sunbury, 7st 10lb; Hoprig, 7st 10lb; Marchand, 7st 10lb; Red Steel, 7st 8lb; Perdo, 7st 5lb; Good Day, 7st 5lb; Lord Lenhuk, 7st 4lb; Blue Cross, 7st 4lb; Lancer Plume, 7st 2lb; Uska, 7st 2lb; Bobador, 7st 2lb; Killem, 7st; Merri Dora, 7st; Yooralla, 6st 13lb; Royal Reserve, 6st 10lb; White Slave, 6st 10lb; Luce Malt, 6st 9lb; Fadelma, 6st 7lb; Jack Friar, 6st 7lb; Ichthyol, 6st 7lb.

Bagot Handicap, 1¼m.—King Kora, 9st; Pacan, 8st 10lb; Wishing Cap, 8st 9lb; Star Comedian, 8st 9lb; Fantarie, 8st 7lb; Semi-Blue, 8st 4lb; First Trim, 8st 3lb; Beltane, 7st 9lb; Jack Annandale, 7st 9lb; Purple Cross, 7st 7lb; Admirable Bob, 7st 6lb; Red Steel, 7st 4lb; Hassendene, 7st 3lb; Chief Secretary, 6st 13lb; Vocal King, 6st 12lb; Litmus, 6st 10lb; Eltham, 6st 10lb; Mirrabooka, 6st 9lb; Tra George, 6st 7lb; Nebula, 6st 7lb; Royal Precedent, 6st 7lb; Vaquero, 6st 7lb; Lady Narcissa, 6st 7lb; Front Rank, 6st 7lb.

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A GREAT BARGAIN.
BERKMAN'S, Licensed Pawnbrokers,
100-102 William-street, Sydney.

SOLID GOLD EXPANDING WATCH BANGLES, 20 Years' Written Guarantee Given.
All Equal to New.
15 Jewelled Rauma Lever, with wide expand., £6/10/.
15 Jewelled Rolex Lever, with Eng. Expand., £5/10/.
15 Jewelled English Lever, set with real st., only £10.
15 Jewelled English Lever, with English Expand., 80/.
And Several Others, all guaranteed.
BERKMAN'S,
100-102 William-street, Sydney.
The Large Shop with the 3 Large Windows.

DIAMOND RINGS AND DIAMOND BROOCHES.
Diamond Single-stone Ring, for 70/.
Diamond Half-hoop Ring, 5 diamonds, £8.
Diamond Cross-over Ring, 3 Diamond, £5/5/.
Diamond Cross-over Ring, double cluster, £6/10/.
Diamond and Ruby Ring, a beauty, for £6/5/.
Diamond Brooch, 3 lovely Diamonds, £7/10/.
Diamond Single-stone Brooch, £5/10/.
Diamond Bar Brooch, 5 Diamonds, £12/10/.
BERKMAN'S, 100-102 William-street, Sydney.

OPEN UNTIL 6 O'CLOCK TO-DAY.
COME AND CHOOSE
YOUR XMAS PRESENTS.
We guarantee to save you 50 p.c.
BERKMAN'S,
100-102 William-street, Sydney.

A 'POSSUM for Sale, 30s, or reasonable offer accepted. 'Possum, Herald.

WHITE Sewing Machine, splendid order, all attchm., £4/10/. Pinnock, 28 Q. V. Mkts, 3 drs. Druitt-st.

A JOB LINE of New JEWELLERY, suitable for Christmas Presents, etc., Brooches, Bangles, Rings, Watches, etc. Will sacrifice for £25. 'Phone, City 2914.

RONEO DUPLICATOR, in good order, will Sell, or Exch. for Typewriter. B.B., Ltd., 20 Abercromb.-st.

CHERRIES, Kentish, Jam, 5/ 14lb box, 8/ 28lb, freight paid. C. Robertson, Fitzroy, Mittagong.

FOR Sale, 40 Rono and Rexo Disc Records, 1/3 each. T. Brown, 3 Burton-st, Randwick.

RABBIT TRAPS, new, 12 dozen, for Sale, cheap; good make. Dunlop, 105 Albion-st, Surry Hills.

BUTCHERS' Marble Tables and Slabs, Refresh. Tables and Stands, Creak and Ford, 195 George-st West.

CONFECT. Scales, Avery, new, Thermometer, also Primus Stove, 4 Beaconsfield-rd, Mosman.

TWO-BURNER Perfection Stove, oven, complete, nearly new, cheap. 107 Palmer-st, D'hurst.

EUREKA GAS STOVE, 607, enam., equal new; also Raleigh. Childs, 167 Liverpool-st, city.

GARDEN HOSE, ½-inch, Red Rubber, 5½d foot. SALVAGE STORE, Up Lane, between 515 and 517 George-street.

GLASSES, Tumblers, Nobblers, at bargain prices, all sound. Salvage Store, betw. 515 and 517 Geo.-st.

ICE-CRACKERS, hand or power, perfect order, barg. prices. Salvage Store, betw. 515 and 517 Geo.-st.

HANDKERCHIEFS, Ladies' and Gentlemen's sizes, perfectly sound. Salvage Prices. SALVAGE STORES, between 515 and 517 George-st.

HATS, Panamas, Ladies' or Gents.'s Felts, Gent.'s Tress. SALVAGE STORE, laneway, between 515 and 517 George-street, opposite Hoyt's Theatre.

MUSIC ROLLS, for Players, 65, 88 note, cheap; change till liked. Room 8, 17 Bridge-st.

JACK and Jill went up the hill
With a "Pineapple" Ham for Xmas.

AUCTION SALES.

INGLIS'S BAZAAR,
CAMPERDOWN,
CITY.
THIS DAY.
COMMENCING AT 10.30 SHARP.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON will sell by Auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, as under:—
AT 10.30 SHARP.
HEAVY AND LIGHT HORSES, TURNOUTS, VEHICLES OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS.
AT 11.30 A.M.
On account of the OWNER,
Double Lorry and Single Lorry, both in good order.
On account of Mr. R. HECKETT.
Bay Gelding, 6 years, broken to saddle and harness; bent-shaft Sulky and set of Harness, making a first-class turnout.

TO TROTTING MEN AND OTHERS.—
WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from the owner to sell by Auction at their Bazaar, Camperdown, TO-MORROW, WEDNESDAY, at 12 o'clock,
SERGEANT, 5 years, chestnut gelding (a well-known trotter), by Huon Cleve from Meadow Queen, record 2.22.

HORSES. HORSES. HORSES.
PONIES. PONIES. PONIES.
INGLIS'S BAZAAR,
CAMPERDOWN
(CITY).
TO-MORROW (WEDNESDAY) AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock.
80 HEAD. 80 HEAD.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions to sell by auction, as above,
Comprising Heavy and Medium Draughts, Station-bred, and CHOICE PONIES.
Light and Harness and Saddle Horses. Full particulars last Saturday's issue.

POULTRY. POULTRY. POULTRY.
CROW'S NEST, NORTH SYDNEY.
EXTENSIVE SALE BY AUCTION,
WEDNESDAY, DEC. 19, 2.15 PROMPT,
IN THE ROOMS, BURLINGTON-ST, CROW'S NEST.
DUCKS, TURKEYS, MUSCOVEYS, GEESE, ORPINGTONS, WYANDOTTES, LEGHORNS, PLYMOUTH ROCKS, R.I. REDS, etc.
Prime Condition.
THOMAS J. ASHWORTH,
Valuator,
Poultry, Furniture, and General
AUCTIONEER.
'Phone, 1474 North.

PRODUCE SALES will be held TO-DAY as under:—MARSUPIAL SKINS, at 9.30 a.m.; FOXSKINS, etc., at 11 a.m.; RABBITSKINS, at 9.30 a.m.

SALE OF FISH, all varieties, DAILY, 7 a.m. to 6 p.m., 697 GEORGE-ST, HAYMARKET.

THIS DAY, TUESDAY, AT 11 O'CLOCK,
AT 15 BOTANY-STREET, REDFERN.
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS.
B.M. I.T. Bedsteads, Wires, and Bedding, Combination Chests Drawers, M.T. Washstands, Toilet Ware, Sheets, Quilts, Blankets, Curtains, Linoleums, Table Cloths, Dining, Kitchen, Toilet Tables, Chairs, Couch and Squab, Ornaments, Enclosed Dresser, Safe, Crockery, Cutlery, Glassware, Cooking Utensils, 2 Marble Slabs, Scales, Weights, Dressmaker's Dummy, etc.
HENRY LEVY, Auctioneer, will sell the above totally Unreserved.

GEORGIE Porgie Puddin Pie,
Secured "Pineapple" Ham for Christmas.

AUCTION SALES.

EXTENSIVE FURNITURE SALE.
TO-MORROW, WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 19,
at
11 O'CLOCK A.M. PROMPT.
At
JAMES R. LAWSON'S
COMMODIOUS AUCTION SALE ROOMS,
196 AND 198 CASTLEREAGH-STREET,
NEAR CORNER OF PARK-STREET.
ARTISTIC MODERN HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, APPOINTMENTS, AND EFFECTS.
UNDER INSTRUCTIONS FROM
J. TRACEY, Esq.,
REMOVED TO THE ROOMS FOR CONVENIENCE OF SALE.
ALSO UNDER INSTRUCTIONS FROM
Mrs. E. PIAZZA,
FROM HER RESIDENCE, "BONTHORNE," CREER-STREET, RANDWICK.
FINE TABLE GLASS AND CHINA.
EXTENSIVE COLLECTION OF TABLE PLATE, ENGLISH MANUFACTURE.
THE COMPLETE FURNITURE
and
NUMEROUS COSTLY APPOINTMENTS
for
ENTRANCE HALL, LIBRARY,
DINING-ROOM,
DRAWING-ROOM, MORNING-ROOM,
and
SEVERAL BEDROOMS.
COMBINATION BILLIARD AND DINING TABLE.
LARGE CHESTERFIELD,
WITH DEEP SEAT AND BACK UPHOLSTERED IN LEATHER.
AXMINSTER AND MIRZAPORE CARPETS.
VALUABLE RONISCH PIANOFORTE,
FULL-SIZE UPRIGHT GRAND, IN WALNUT CASE, IN EXCELLENT CONDITION.
PIANOLA-PLAYER,
AND NUMEROUS MUSIC ROLLS.
MAGNIFICENT SEVRES BOWL,
WITH FIGURE AND LANDSCAPE PAINTINGS, AND MOUNTED WITH GILT BRONZE.
EXTENSIVE COLLECTION
of
CHINA, PORCELAIN, AND BRONZES,
FRENCH BRONZE FIGURES,
OIL PAINTINGS AND WATER COLOUR DRAWINGS.
And
MISCELLANEOUS LOTS OF GENERAL FURNITURE AND HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS.
ALSO,
TO BE SOLD WITHOUT ANY RESERVE,
A QUANTITY OF PLATED WARE,
FLOWER EPERGNES AND ORNAMENTS,
SUITABLE FOR XMAS GIFTS.
NOW ON VIEW.

JAMES R. LAWSON,
VALUATOR,
FINE ART, FURNITURE, AND GENERAL AUCTIONEER,
196 AND 198 CASTLEREAGH-STREET,
NEAR CORNER OF PARK-STREET.
TELEPHONE, 7456 CITY.

SUITABLE GIFTS FOR CHRISTMAS.
FOR SALE BY AUCTION, WITHOUT RESERVE,
TO-MORROW, WEDNESDAY,
19th DECEMBER, AT 11 O'CLOCK A.M.
AT JAMES R. LAWSON'S GALLERY SALE ROOMS, 196-198 CASTLEREAGH-STREET, NEAR PARK-STREET.
LADIES' FASHIONABLE BAGS,
IN MOROCCO AND SOLID LEATHER, WITH STERLING SILVER AND NICKEL MOUNTS,
HIGH-CLASS ENGLISH MANUFACTURE.
GENTS.' WALKING STICKS AND CANES,
LATEST DESIGNS, THE MAJORITY MOUNTED IN STERLING SILVER.
ON VIEW THIS DAY, TUESDAY.
TERMS CASH. NO RESERVE.

TO-DAY, TUESDAY,
AT 11 O'CLOCK SHARP,
AT OUR SALEROOMS,
No. 200 CASTLEREAGH-STREET,
FOUR DOORS SOUTH OF PARK-STREET.
IN AN ASSIGNED ESTATE.
UNDER INSTRUCTIONS FROM
MESSRS. STARKEY AND STARKEY,
CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS, 28 YORK-STREET.
A Well-assorted Stock of
LADIES' SKIRTS, ONE-PIECE DRESSES, and FROCKS, WHITE SKIRTS, COATS and SKIRTS, and BLOUSES OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS.
ON ACCOUNT OF ALL CONCERNED,
TO CLOSE ACCOUNTS.
11 PIECES ½ SUITING, 220 yards.
10 PIECES 40in VENETIAN CLOTH.
40 PIECES SLEEVE LINING, 1566 yards.
11 PIECES 40in DRESS TWEED, 397 yards.
14 PIECES 50in DRESS SERGE, each 60 yards.
6 PIECES TUSSORETTE, 30in—251½ YARDS.
19 SPECIAL GYMNASIUM MATTRESSES.
24 SUPERIOR KEWPIE DOLLS.
Also, an Assortment of
BEST QUALTY CELLULOID DOLLS, 22in.
Also, QUANTITY OF DRESSED UNBREAKABLE DOLLS.
24 PIECES 54in ORGANDI, each 62 yards,
and a Small Consignment of
ELECTROPLATED WARE,
comprising
TEA AND COFFEE SETS, TEAPOTS, CRUETS, etc.
A Varied Quantity of Best Quality
MANUFACTURED LEATHER GOODS,
including
RUG STRAPS OF ALL KINDS, DOG COLLARS, HALTERS, BRIDLES, PLOUGH REINS, etc., etc.,
and
7 COILS ROPE PLOUGH REINS,
15 GROSS No. 2 SASHCORD.
ON ACCOUNT OF THE FIRE ASSESSORS.
REMOVED FROM A RECENT CITY FIRE,
460 DOZEN SEWING MACHINE NEEDLES,
173 DOZEN INVERTED AND UPRIGHT MANTLES,
BUTTONHOLE MACHINE, ON STAND,
16 DOZ. ENAMELLED PIE DISHES AND BASINS.
Also,
AXE, PICK, AND SHOVEL HANDLES,
and
17 BAGS, CONTAINING 14,200 TINS.
LEATHER WRITING CASES, BIRTHDAY BOOKS, FANCY GOODS AND STATIONERY.
IN A DECEASED ESTATE.
REMOVED FOR CONVENIENCE OF SALE.
THE FURNISHINGS OF
DRAWING, DINING, AND BEDROOMS,
IN CLEAN CONDITION AND GOOD ORDER.
DEAN VALANTINE, AND COMPANY,
GENERAL AUCTIONEERS,
No. 200 CASTLEREAGH-STREET.
TELEPHONE, CITY 7802.

NORTH SYDNEY.
To the Grocery, Provision, China and Glass Trades, Boarding-house Keepers, Heads of Families, Dealers, and others.
HIGHLY IMPORTANT AND EXTENSIVE UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION.
AT 180 BLUE'S POINT-ROAD, NORTH SYDNEY near Lavender-street, two stops from M'Mahon's Point.
THIS DAY, TUESDAY, DECEMBER 18th,
and following day,
COMMENCING EACH DAY AT 10.30 A.M.
And continuing all day, with short break for lunch.
BY ORDER OF MR. C. BOWTELL,
who is relinquishing this portion of his Business.
THE WHOLE OF THE STOCK OF GENERAL GROCERIES OF EVERY DESCRIPTION,
all well-known brands of everyday sale,
IN PERFECT CONDITION.
Very Extensive Stock of BULK GROCERIES, including Kerosene Turps, M. Spirits, Jams, Jelly Crystals, Soaps, Candles, Salmon, Herrings, Sugar, Rice, Sultanas, Lexias, Currants, Sauces, Teas, Blue, Starch, Pickles, Vinegar, Oils, Sardines, Mustard, Morton, C. and B., Moir's, Keen's, and Reckitt's Goods, including numerous lines unprocurable.
Large Stock of BEST ENAMELWARE.
Ironmongery, Tinware, Brushware, China, and Glass Ware, and Crockeryware.
Large Stock of W. and G. CUPS and SAUCERS.
NOTE.—At 2 p.m., 40 Reams Grease Proof Paper and the whole of the Bulk Groceries will be offered.
AT 3 P.M.
Dayton's Boston Parrel Scales, 20lb, Large Ice Chest, Outside Lamps, Bacon Cutter, Counter Showcases, host of Sundries, Drawers.
POSITIVELY WITHOUT RESERVE.
M. GOULSTON AND CO., instructed by MR. C. BOWTELL, will sell THIS DAY, TUESDAY, and TO-MORROW, at 10.30 a.m. Auctioneers' Telephone, M1871.

NORTH SYDNEY.
M. GOULSTON AND CO. will sell by auction,
TO-MORROW, WEDNESDAY, AT 3 P.M.,
at 180 BLUE'S POINT-ROAD, NORTH SYDNEY,
Under instructions from
Mr. C. BOWTELL.
TIPCARTS,
SPRINGCARTS,
HORSES,
SPARE WHEELS, HARNESS,
CHIP POTATO PLANT,
HOST OF USEFUL SUNDRIES.
POSITIVELY WITHOUT RESERVE.
Auctioneers' Telephone, M1871.

THIS DAY, AT 2 SHARP.
AT 170 GEORGE-STREET WEST, near Shepherd-st.
MIDDLETON and CO. are instructed to sell by auction, Large Quantity New and Second-hand Ladies', Gents.'s, and Children's Clothing; Bedclothing, Blankets, Boots, Curtains, and Sundries. No Res.

AUCTION SALES.

IMPORTANT AUCTIONEER'S NOTICE.
MR. MURRAY WILCOX'S
VALUABLE MODERN FURNITURE,
TABLE PLATE,
PICTURES,
LIPP PIANOFORTE,
Etc., Etc., and
PARTICULARS OF WHICH WERE ADVERTISED IN LAST SATURDAY'S "HERALD" AND "DAILY TELEGRAPH."
WILL BE SOLD
WITHOUT RESERVE,
THIS DAY (TUESDAY), DECEMBER 18,
AT 11 O'CLOCK A.M.,
AT THE RESIDENCE,
YATALUNGA,
YARRANABBE-ROAD, DARLING POINT.
CATALOGUES OBTAINABLE AT THE RESIDENCE, AND AT THE OFFICE OF THE AUCTIONEER.
W. A. LITTLE,
FINE ART, FURNITURE, AND GENERAL AUCTIONEER,
EXPERT VALUATOR, ETC.,
42 CASTLEREAGH-STREET, SYDNEY.
Directly opposite Hotel Australia.
TELEPHONE, CITY 4936.

CHATSWOOD.
UNRESERVED AUCTION SALE,
TO-MORROW, WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 19,
A 11 O'CLOCK A.M.
BY ORDER OF THE OWNER,
ON ACCOUNT OF LEAVING THE DISTRICT.
THE SUPERIOR FURNITURE AND HOUSEHOLD APPOINTMENTS
CONTAINED IN THE RESIDENCE,
CORNER ROSE AND EDMUND STREETS,
RIGHT OPPOSITE ST. LAWRENCE HOSPITAL,
CHATSWOOD.
FULL PARTICULARS WERE ADVERTISED IN LAST SATURDAY'S "HERALD" AND "TELEGRAPH."
ON VIEW TO-MORROW (WEDNESDAY) MORNING PRIOR TO SALE, FROM 9 O'CLOCK.
W. A. LITTLE,
FINE ART, FURNITURE, AND GENERAL AUCTIONEER,
EXPERT VALUATOR, ETC.,
42 CASTLEREAGH-STREET, SYDNEY.
TELEPHONE, CITY 4936.

IMPORTANT AUCTION ANNOUNCEMENT.
IN CONSEQUENCE
of
THURSDAY NEXT BEING REFERENDUM DAY,
MY USUAL WEEKLY SALE
of
FURNITURE AND HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS,
PIANOFORTES,
PICTURES, PLATE, ETC., ETC.,
WILL BE HELD
TO-MORROW (WEDNESDAY), 19th DECEMBER,
AT 10.30 SHARP,
IN MY CENTRALLY-SITUATED
SALE ROOMS,
42 CASTLEREAGH-STREET
(Directly Opposite Hotel Australia),
WITH SEPARATE ENTRANCE,
51 AND 53 ELIZABETH-STREET
(midway between King and Hunter streets).
INCLUDING
VALUABLE FURNITURE AND EFFECTS
REMOVED FROM BEARD WATSON'S STORES,
ON ACCOUNT OF
DR. HARRISON,
TO BE SOLD ABSOLUTELY WITHOUT RESERVE.
ALSO,
BY ORDER OF
GEORGES PLAYOUST, JNR., ESQ.,
REMOVED FROM
CLARENDON FLATS, RANDWICK.
ALSO,
ON ACCOUNT OF NUMEROUS OTHER INTERESTS,
INCLUDING
GLASS, CHINA, AND ELECTROPLATE.
AXMINSTER CARPETS,
RUGS AND MATS.
OAK MISSION SUITE,
In dark fumed oak.
LUXURIOUS CHESTERFIELD,
HAIR STUFFED AND UPHOLSTERED IN GENUINE MOROCCO LEATHER.
LUXURIOUS CHESTERFIELDS,
AND
COMFORTABLE ARMCHAIRS,
SOFT STUFFED AND UPHOLSTERED IN SHADOW TISSUE AND FIGURED CRETONNE.
ORNAMENTS AND PICTURES.
SILVER-GREY OAK BEDROOM SUITE,
AND BEDSTEAD TO MATCH.
OAK AND MAPLE BEDROOM SUITES
(For Double and Single Rooms),
BLACK AND BRASS ITALIAN BEDSTEADS,
Complete with best bedding.
WHITE ENAMELLED COT,
WITH BEST BEDDING.
AT
12 O'CLOCK NOON, PROMPT,
VALUABLE PLAYER PIANO
IN HANDSOME MAHOGANY CASE,
A FINE, FULL-TONED INSTRUMENT,
BY
KASTNER AND CO., LTD., LONDON,
SPECIALLY IMPORTED BY NICHOLSON and Co., Ltd.
ONE OF THE LATEST MODELS; PLAYS 88 AND 65 NOTE MUSIC. A PLAYER THAT CAN BE HIGHLY RECOMMENDED.
ALSO,
AN EXTENSIVE LIST
OF
MISCELLANEOUS FURNITURE
AND
GENERAL HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS AND REQUISITES,
TO BE SOLD
ABSOLUTELY WITHOUT RESERVE.
NOW ON VIEW.
NOTE.
IN CONSEQUENCE OF THE GREAT NUMBER OF LOTS, THE SALE WILL START PUNCTUALLY A 10.30 O'CLOCK, WITH ALL BASEMENT LOTS FIRST.
W. A. LITTLE,
FINE ART, FURNITURE, AND GENERAL AUCTIONEER,
EXPERT VALUATOR, ETC.,
TELEPHONE, CITY 4936.

MOSMAN.
THIS DAY,
11 A.M.
(Owing to the owner's departure for another State.)
At
AVENUE-ROAD,
opposite the Public School.
CONFECTIONERY, TOYS,
STATIONERY, DRINKS,
NEW ICE CHEST, ICE CREAM FREEZERS,
SKIRTS, BLOUSES, COSTUMES,
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.
HARRY STEELE,
AUCTIONEER AND VALUATOR,
SPIT JUNCTION, MOSMAN.
TELEPHONE, Y2879.

MOSMAN.
TO-MORROW, WEDNESDAY,
11 A.M.
FURNITURE AND HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS,
15 HOLT-AVENUE.
Owng to owner's immediate departure for Victoria.
GLASS, CHINA, ELECTROPLATE.
Contents of Well Furnished
BEDROOMS, DINING-ROOM,
HALL, KITCHEN, AND LAUNDRY.
GARDEN SEAT, 2-ROLLER MANGLE,
GENT.'S BICYCLE.
HARRY STEELE,
AUCTIONEER AND VALUATOR,
SPIT JUNCTION, MOSMAN.
TELEPHONE, Y2879.

CITY.
THURSDAY, DEC. 20th, AT 11 A.M.
SALE BY AUCTION,
at
41 CLARENCE-STREET.
Under instructions from Mrs. C. MURRAY, who is relinquishing on account of ill-health.
THE CONTENTS OF 9 ROOMS,
including
CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, LINOLEUMS, SPRING COUCH, Various Chairs, Pictures, SINGLE BEDSTEADS and Bedding, Mirrors, M.T. Washstands, Toilet Ware, Stretchers, Comb. Chests, Stair Carpets, Tables, Toilet Glasses, Rug, Wardrobes, Tea Chests.
KITCHEN FURNITURE AND REQUISITES.
SYDNEY DAVIS,
General Auctioneer,
44 Belgrave-street, Manly. Tel., Manly 480.

AUCTION SALES.

NORTH HARBOUR, MANLY.
THIS DAY, AT 11 A.M. SHARP.
At the Residence,
CALAHLA,
WOODLAND AND WHITE STREETS
(leave tram at Condimine-street).
VICTOR PIANOFORTE, AND COMPLETE FURNISHINGS FOR 7 ROOMS.
WITHOUT ANY RESERVE.
AT 12 NOON,
WE WILL SELL
THE COTTAGE RESIDENCE,
CALAHLA,
BUILT OF STONE, 7 ROOMS,
LAND 115ft x 179ft. TORRENS TITLE.
ON VIEW THIS DAY, FROM 9 A.M.
ARTHUR E. STUTCHBURY
AND COMPANY,
GENERAL AUCTIONEERS,
'PHONE, CITY 6662. 10 BARRACK-STREET.

TO-MORROW, WEDNESDAY, 19th INST.,
at 11 o'clock,
AT OUR CENTRAL ROOMS,
10 BARRACK-STREET.
AN EXCEPTIONAL SALE OF
FURNITURE, PIANOS, ETC.,
including
THE MASSIVE BARONIAL DINING SUITE,
IN CARVED ENGLISH OAK.
HEAVILY-CARVED GRANDFATHER'S CLOCK.
OAK HALL STAND,
ALL EN SUITE.
1 GRAND PIANOFORTE (COLLARD and COLLARD).
ROSEWOOD AND WALNUT CABINETS.
FRENCH HAND-PAINTED INLAID CABINET.
5-PIECE ROSEWOOD DRAWING SUITE.
MASSIVE 4ft and 5ft OAK BEDROOM SUITE.
OVAL MIRRORS.
4ft ROSEWOOD BEDROOM SUITE.
4ft 6in OAK BEDSTEAD, WIRE, AND BEDDING,
PRACTICALLY NEW.
SINGLE, ¾, AND DOUBLE BEDSTEADS AND BEDDING.
8-PCE. OAK DINING SUITES.
OAK AND P.T. DINING TABLES.
BOOKSHELVES, 2 BOOKCASES.
COMB. CHESTS, M.T. WASHSTANDS.
QUANTITY A1 LINOLEUM.
SEAGRASS FURNITURE.
FINEST QUALITY TOILET WARE.
PLATEGLASS MIRROR, 5ft 6in x 4ft.
QUANTITY FANCY VASES.
CARPET SQUARES, ALL SIZES.
THE MAGNIFICENT ALL-BRASS
CORONATION BEDSTEAD, COMPLETE.
GLASS ENCLOSED DRESSER.
KITCHEN FURNITURE.
ON VIEW ALL DAY.
ARTHUR E. STUTCHBURY
AND COMPANY,
GENERAL AUCTIONEERS,
10 BARRACK-STREET.
'PHONE, CITY 6662.

BONDI.
TO-MORROW, WEDNESDAY, AT 11 O'CLOCK.
IMPORTANT UNRESERVED AUCTION SALE.
Under instructions from Mrs. R. MANDEL, having sold the property.
At DALMORA, 17 LAMROCK-AVENUE
(Quite Close to Bondi Beach).
Comprising
WALNUT UPRIGHT PIANO
(by Bilse, Berlin, a Superior Instrument).
ALMOST NEW PIANOLA.
MASSIVE 6FT FUMED AMERICAN OAK BEDROOM SUITE
(especially made to Mrs. Mandel's Order).
ELEGANT SOLID OAK 6FT SIDEBOARD.
8-PIECE DINING-ROOM SUITE.
BEAUTIFULLY FINISHED ISLAND CEDAR EXTENSION DINING TABLE.
ROSEWOOD DRAWING-ROOM SUITE.
KIANDRA ICECHEST.
MASSIVE SINGLE and DOUBLE BEDSTEADS AND BEDDING.
FINE COLLECTION ELECTROPLATE WARE.
DEEP-SEATED LOUNGE and EASY CHAIRS.
AXMINSTER CARPET and RUNNERS, LINOLEUMS.
Also the FURNISHINGS of 2nd BEDROOM, MAID'S ROOM, KITCHEN, and ENTRANCE HALL.
KITCHEN, LAUNDRY, AND GARDEN UTENSILS.
The above FURNISHINGS are in PERFECT ORDER, and offer an exceptional opportunity to intending home furnishers.
ON VIEW FROM 9 O'CLOCK DAY OF SALE.
RUBE ZIONS,
Auctioneer and Valuator,
250 PITT-STREET.
Telephone, City 868.

UNREDEEMED PLEDGES.
THIS DAY, DECEMBER 18th, at 11 a.m.
A. G. JENKINS has been instructed by the N. S. Wales Mont de Piete D. and I. Coy., Ltd., to sell by auction, on their premises, 74 Castlereagh-street, the Company's Unredeemed Pledges, as advertised on Wednesday last.
Magazine Rifle, Automatic Pistol, Revolvers, Stereo Camera, Field and Opera Glasses, Cutlery, Silver Inkstand, E. P. Tea and Coffee Service, and other Plate, Violin, Musical Instruments.
Suit Cases, Hand and Kit Bags.
And other Miscellaneous Articles.

CHATSWOOD-WILLOUGHBY.
Corner PENSHURST-STREET and VICTORIA-AVENUE.
ABSOLUTELY UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION.
TO-MORROW, WEDNESDAY, AT 11 A.M.
SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.
DINING-ROOM SUITE, in OAK.
OAK SIDEBOARD, Bevelled Plate-glass Back.
OAK HALLSTAND, OVERMANTELS.
DINING TABLE.
LOT OF FIRST-CLASS LINOLEUM.
CARPET STRIPS, MATS, PICTURES.
SINGER DROPHEAD SEWING MACHINE.
BEDROOM SUITE, in MAPLE, including Wardrobe, with Double Plate-glass Doors, and Pair Toilets.
Double and Single Bedsteads, Cot and Bedding.
Cedar Chest, eight Drawers.
Austrian Chairs, Occasional Tables.
Glass-enclosed Dresser, Two-roller Mangle.
Bed and Table Linen, Venetian Blinds.
E.P. Ware, Glassware, Crockery.
Kitchen and Cooking Utensils.
ALSO STOCK-IN-TRADE.
TWO NEW OAK MANTELPIECES, with Overmantels, complete.
Ten Rolls Dampcourse and Roll Ruberoid.
Household Ironmongery, Paints, Enamels, Lampware, Crockery, Glassware, Scales and Weights, Tools, etc.
COMPLETE KIT OF CARPENTER'S TOOLS.
SCALES and WEIGHTS.
Shed and quantity of Galvanised Iron, Fittings and Fixtures.
TWENTY-EIGHT HEAD OF POULTRY.
A. G. JENKINS,
Auctioneer, 261 Pitt-street.
Take Chatswood Tram from M'Mahon's Point to door.

FURNITURE DEALERS, HEADS OF FAMILIES,
AND THE TRADE GENERALLY.
IMPORTANT and EXTENSIVE AUCTION SALE,
AT FRATER'S HOTEL, SANS SOUCI, TUESDAY,
DEC. 18, at 11.30 a.m.,
the entire Furnishings and Appointments, contained in 2 dining-rooms, 2 parlours, and 8 bedrooms, including Sideboards, Dinner Waggon, Bookcase, Dining and Occasional Tables, 40 Chairs, Large Assorted Suites, Chests, Toilet Sets, Beds, and Bedding, complete, Ice Chest, Cash Register, Crockery, Glassware, Table Appointments, Cutlery, Bar Requisites, Kitchen Furniture, and Utensils, and a large quantity of Sundry Lots. Several Kiosks, sound condition.
J. F. HEGERTY AND CO.,
AUCTIONEERS, ROCKDALE,
have received instructions to sell the above, absolutely unreserved. Terms, cash. Immediate delivery. Telephone, 40 Kogarah.

DOUBLE BAY.
TO-MORROW, WEDNESDAY, AT 11 A.M.,
at
YORK, 21 KNOX-STREET.
On account Mr. G. C. BRIDGES.
UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION
of
USEFUL FURNITURE AND EFFECTS.
THE CONTENTS OF 4 ROOMS, Comprising:—Couch and Easy Chairs, Wardrobes and Combination Chests, in Polished Pine; Dining Table and Chairs, Linoleum and Rugs, Bedsteads and Bedding, Kitchen Dresser, Pine Tables, Gas Griller, and General Household Effects.
LAWSON BROTHERS, LIMITED,
AUCTIONEERS AND VALUATORS,
Tel., 620 William. 52-54 William-street.

THIS DAY.
JOHN P. LISTER will sell by auction, at his Rooms, 392 Pitt-street, the UNREDEEMED PLEDGES Pawned with Mr. JOSEPH GOLDSTEIN, of Bathurst-street, city.
At 11 o'clock.—Clothing, Boots, Blankets, etc.
At 2.30 o'clock.—Sundries of every description.
At 3 o'clock.—JEWELLERY, including Diamond Rings, Bangles, Brooches, Earrings, etc.; Gold, Silver, and Metal Watches; Gold Alberts, Bangles, Links, Necklets, etc.

WHO could not be pleased with a "Pineapple" Ham for a Christmas Box.

AUCTION SALES.

SALVAGE.
THIS DAY, TUESDAY, 18th DECEMBER,
AT 106 CASTLEREAGH-STREET, CITY.
Being Salvage Removed from the Scene of the late Fire at the Premises of Messrs. Valantine and Sons' Publishing Coy., Ltd., Butler and Wilkins, and The United States Glass Co., Ash-street, city.
By Order of the Fire Assessors.
AT 11 A.M.
Philco Real Photo. Bromide and Hand-painted Post and Birthday Cards, Gelatine, Carlton Series, American Heads, Novelty, Remembrance, Assorted Views, Patriotic, Spray Views, Gelatine Birthday Cards, Hand-painted Birthday Folders, Condolence Cards, Kewpie, and Assorted Post Cards.
Real Photo. Pictures, Blue Mountains and North and South Coast Post Cards and Souvenirs, Sydney and Brisbane Booklets and Souvenirs, Scripture Books, Home Mail Xmas Cards and Folders, Birthday Autograph Stationery and Folders, Drawing Books, Military Wallets, and Assorted Pocket Books.
CHILD'S PICTURE AND MAGIC DRAWING BOOKS.
XMAS WATTLE AND ASSORTED XMAS GREETING CARDS.
QUANTITY GLASSWARE.
Quantity of TOYS, consisting of Teddy Bears, Jap. Dolls, and Mechanical Toys.
2 CARPET SQUARES.
2 OAK BEVELLED GLASS 5ft SIDEBOARDS.
26 DOZEN HALTERS.
F. R. STRANGE,
AUCTIONEER,
106 CASTLEREAGH-STREET. TELE., CITY 4396.

CITY.
UNRESERVED AUCTION SALE
of
SUPERIOR FURNITURE, PIANOFORTES,
CARPETS, and LINOLEUMS.
ROLL-TOP DESKS AND WRITING TABLES, Etc., Etc.
(new and second-hand)
IN CONSEQUENCE OF EXPIRATION OF LEASE.
THIS DAY, TUESDAY, 18th INST.,
AT 11 O'CLOCK A.M.,
ON THE PREMISES,
174 and rear to 178 GEORGE-STREET N. (near Quay).
THE WHOLE OF THE BALANCE OF STOCK-IN-TRADE,
consisting of
OAK AND MAPLE BEDROOM SUITES,
DINING SUITES, SIDEBOARDS, EXTENSION AND OTHER TABLES,
WARDROBES, EASY CHAIRS, LOUGHBOY CHESTS,
BEDSTEADS and BEDDING, KITCHEN DRESSERS,
Etc., Etc.
ALSO A SPLENDID SHOP COUNTER
(fitted with 12 drawers),
And a host of other articles to numerous to specify.
HERMAN COHEN AND SON,
Auctioneers.
'Phone, City 1175.

NEWTOWN.
IMPORTANT TO BUILDERS AND OTHERS.
UNRESERVED SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION
of
BUILDING MATERIAL,
On the Premises,
THE REAR OF 157 ALICE-STREET (opp. Totalisator works).
TO-MORROW, WEDNESDAY, 19th INST.,
AT 11 O'CLOCK A.M., PROMPT,
UNDER INSTRUCTIONS FROM
E. BOYNE, Esq.
(in consequence of having enlisted for military service)
MORTISING MACHINE (Crescent make), BOTTLE JACK,
ENDLESS CHAIN HOIST,
EXTENSION and OTHER LADDERS and STEPS,
STEEL GIRDERS SCAFFOLDING PLANKS,
MANTEL-PIECES, GRATES, GLAZED WINDOWS and DOORS.
About 2cwt of D. H. NAILS, ROPES,
And other building material, too numerous to describe.
ON VIEW FROM 9 A.M. TILL HOUR OF SALE.
HERMAN COHEN AND SON,
Auctioneers,
Offices and Mart, 174-8 George-street N.
Telephone, City 1175.

TO-MORROW, WEDNESDAY, AT 11 A.M.,
On the Premises,
Formerly known as
THE AQUARIUM HOTEL,
FLETCHER-STREET, BONDI.
A WELL ASSORTED STOCK OF NEW GROCERIES,
including
MORTON'S AND MOIR'S IMPORTED GOODS,
Herrings, Kippers, Sardines, Fruits, Jams, Teas, Coffee, Cocoa, Lucca and Salad Oils, Salmon, Biscuits, Sauces, Polishes, Condiments, etc., etc.
DAYTON COMPUTING SCALES, EUREKA GAS STOVE,
Bacon Cutter, Marble Slabs, Fitments,
Etc., etc., etc.
EVERYTHING IN EXCEPTIONALLY FINE CONDITION.
BARNARD AND CO.
will sell by auction as above.
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IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT.
ATTRACTIVE AND TOTALLY UNRESERVED AUCTION SALE
of
MASSIVE OFFICE FITTINGS, SHOW CASES, ETC.,
on
FRIDAY NEXT, AT 11 A.M.
TO BE SOLD UNDER INSTRUCTION RECEIVED FROM MESSRS. FELDHEIM, GOTTHELF, LTD.,
at their former Warehouse,
CLARENCE AND BARRACK STREETS, CITY,
including
MASSIVE CARVED ENTRANCE PORCH AND OFFICES,
Fitted with Plateglass Panels, Swing Doors.
FIVE JEWELLERY OR PLATE SHOW CASES,
Plateglass sides and shelves, 6ft high.
CHUBB'S STRONGROOM DOOR.
Counters, Desks, Sashes, Timber, Brass Rods,
COUNTER SHOWCASES, LINOS., SUNDRIES.
An Exceptionally Fine Lot of Office Fitments and Showcases, well worthy of inspection.
BARNARD AND CO.
will sell as above, WITHOUT RESERVE.
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DARLINGHURST.
TO-DAY, TUESDAY,
2 O'CLOCK,
395 BOURKE-STREET,
a few doors from Oxford-street.
ARTHUR G. JONES will sell a large quantity of HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.
MASSIVE SIDEBOARDS.
WALNUT-STAINED BEACONSFIELD BEDROOM SUITE.
OAK BEDROOM SUITE.
FINE DINING-ROOM SUITE, 8 PIECES.
SEVERAL OTHER DINING SUITES.
Wardrobes, Comb. Chests, Tables, Chairs, Overmantels, quantity of various Bedsteads, Crockery, etc.
Also
KINGSTON PIANO,
PIANOLA, BAKER and CHASE.
Also a large quantity of
High-class Gents.'s and Ladies' Welted
BOOTS and SHOES.
This fine collection of useful furniture will be sold without Reserve.
ARTHUR G. JONES,
General Auctioneer,
395 Bourke-street.

TO be sold by Public Auction, THIS DAY, 10 a.m. SHARP, at 197 Hay-street, Sydney, Office Furniture, Quantity of Brass and Copper, Lamps, Globes, and Sundries. R. S. KEY, Auctioneer.

BIG SALE OF BUILDING MATERIALS.
CONTENTS of 6 SHOPS and DWELLINGS,
Situated in DOWLING-STREET, WOOLLOOMOOLOO,
THIS DAY, TUESDAY, DEC. 18th, AT 11 A.M.
The Materials of which Comprise
100,000 MACH. and SANDSTOCK BRICKS, A1 quality.
300 SHEETS GALV. IRON, 6 to 9 feet, equal to new.
6000ft. 8 x 2½ and 6 x 2½ H.W. JOISTS, long lengths.
3000ft. 4 x 2½ H.W. RAFTERS, Straight and Sound.
1000ft. OREGON BATTENS, 1000ft. SKIRTING.
3000ft. 6 x 1 T. and G. KAURI, and TALLOWWOOD FLOORING.
1000ft. PARTITION and LINING BOARDS, PAINTED.
30 PANEL DOORS, STOCK SIZES, CENTRE-BAR BOX-FRAMES and SASHES, WATER and GAS PIPE, SANITARY FITTINGS, MANTELS and GRATES, LEDGE DOORS, MOULDING ARCHITRAVES, GUTTERING, and DOWN PIPE, and numerous SUNDRIES.
SPECULATIVE BUILDERS, COUNTRY BUYERS, DEALERS, and Others, are cordially invited to attend, as the Site has to be cleared.
C. G. WAINWRIGHT
has received instructions to sell as above.
Telephone, Kogarah 302.

TO BUILDERS, FOUNDRIES, MACHINERY MERCHANTS, AND OTHERS.
IMPORTANT AUCTION SALE,
THIS DAY, AT 11 A.M.,
on Premises known as PHIPPARD'S QUARRY, situated in Adelaide-street, off Edgecliff-road, Woollahra. Take Bellevue Hill Tram.
30 ROLLED STEEL GIRDERS, 12 x 6, 14 and 16 feet long.
1 12 x 12' H.W. GIRDER, 24ft long.
300ft 14 and 20 lb STEEL RAILS.
200ft T IRON, LARGE QUANTITY WROUGHT IRON BARS, STEEL BARS, AND SPINDLES.
1 VERTICAL BOILER.
ONE CRANE LIFTING GEAR, cost £150.
ABOUT 2 TONS SCRAP CAST IRON.
TRUCKS, JINKER, GRIND STONE, CHAINS, LARGE QUANTITY SUNDRIES.
120ft 12 x 12 Box Girder.
12 18 x 6 Rolled Steel Girders.
G. L. COOPER,
Auctioneer,
Address: 37 Hume-street, North Sydney. Telephone, North 1579.

TO BUILDERS, CONTRACTORS, IRONMONGERS, AND HARDWARE DEALERS.
IMPORTANT SALE, BY AUCTION,
THIS DAY, AT 11 O'CLOCK,
ON THE PREMISES,
NO. 1 HAY-STREET, LEICHHARDT,
ONE MINUTE FROM OUR OFFICE.
(Leave tram at Crystal-street).
200 Sheets New GALVANISED IRON, TIMBER, REGISTERS, GRATES, BATHS, CISTERNS, GENERAL IRONMONGERY, BLUNDELL and SPENCE'S OILS, CHAMPION'S WHITELEAD, etc., etc.
(As fully advertised in last Saturday's Herald.)
D. AND W. RAINES, AUCTIONEERS, under instructions from the Vendor, will conduct the above Important Sale.

PLEASE, Grocer, don't send any other Ham than "Pineapple." I won't have it.

AUCTION SALES.

CITY-ROAD FURNITURE SALE.
THIS TUESDAY, AT 11.
AT THE ROOMS,
66 CITY-ROAD, opposite University Park.
One tram stop from Grace Bros.
Drawing, Dining, Breakfast, and Bedroom Appointments.
5-piece S. Rug Dining Suites, 5-piece A.C. D. Suites, 6, 7, and 8 piece oak and maple B. Suites, Rattan Chairs and Settees, Occ. Tables, Overmantels and Clocks.
4ft, 4ft 6in, 6ft SIDEBOARDS, in St. Walnut, 6 x 3ft 6in Oak Ext. D. Tables, Aust. and H.B. Chairs, Hallstands, Pictures, Paintings, and White Sewing Machine.
5-piece Walnut Bedroom Suite, 3-piece Oak and Maple Bed Suite, single and double Comb. Chests, M.T. W'stands, Wardrobes, 7-draw. Chests, Wood W'stands, and Dress Tables.
Single and Double Brass-mounted Bedsteads, 4ft 6in Oak and Maple Bed, complete bedding and wires, equal new. Single and D. Sheets, Blankets, Pillowcases, Hammocks, etc.
3ft 6in, 4ft Open and Glassed D. Dressers, Kit. Tables and Chairs, Eureka Gas Stoves, and Fuel Stoves.
Quantity Glass, Crockery, and Enamel Ware.
Quantity Tea, Confectionery, and Lolly Jars, Pickles and Sauce.
Also,
Quantity Fancy Goods, Toys, Dolls, Bags, Suit Cases, etc.
Pianofortes, Iron-frame Carl Ehrlich, Aucher, Fold. Keyboard, and R. Bord, and other well-known makes. Also the output of large electric cabinet factory.
E. H. BRODRIBB
will sell the above at the Rooms, 66-8 City-rd, corner Myrtle-street. Tel., 993 Redfern.

CITY-ROAD.
TO-MORROW, WEDNESDAY,
AT 11.
THE FURNITURE AND EFFECTS
of
A THREE-STORY HOUSE,
On the Premises,
73 CITY-ROAD, Opp. University,
CITY.
Two Doors from Our Auction Rooms.
Comprised of
DINING-ROOM SUITE, H.B. Chairs, 5 x 3 TABLES, COUCHES, Aust. Chairs, 4ft 6in Sideboard, 2 Chef Safes, Occ. Tables, Hallstand, Pictures, Overmantel, Crockery and Glass Ware.
4 SINGLE BEDSTEADS, complete.
4 4ft 6in BEDSTEADS, Wire and Bedding.
7 COMBINATION CHESTS, 2 Wire Couches and Squabs.
Dressing Tables, W. W. Stands, Toilet Ware, Blinds, Curtains, Corner Wardrobes, Rugs, Mats, and a good lot Linen.
LINO throughout the House.
KIT. CHAIRS, TABLES, Safes, 2 Roll. Mangle, Enamel Saucepans, and Miscellaneous Sundries.
E. H. BRODRIBB,
under instructions from Mr. Parker,
WILL SELL AS ABOVE.
Auctioneer's Rooms, 66 City-rd. Private Saleroom, 772 George-street, Haymarket.

ORDER OF SALE.
CITY, SUBURBAN, AND COUNTRY PROPERTIES
to be sold by
PUBLIC AUCTION,
in the Real Estate Auction Rooms, 24 and 26 CASTLEREAGH-STREET,
TO-DAY, AT 11.30 A.M.

Under instructions from the Minister of State for Home Defence.
CITY, CROWN-STREET. 50 Years' LEASE of Business Site, 24ft 2½in x 93ft 11in, along Kell's lane, extending to Langley-lane, to which the frontage is 81ft 9in, 117ft 2in on the other boundary to a lane 20ft wide.
ANNANDALE, JOHNSTON-STREET, "Highclere,"—Semi-detached Brick House. Land, about 36 x 195. Torrens Title.
(In conjunction with J. F. Benton, Annandale.)

Under instructions from Perpetual Trustee Co., Ltd.
SUMMER HILL, SMITH-STREET, "Lansdowne,"—Brick Villa. Land 50 x 200 to street at rear. Torrens Title.

SANS SOUCI.—
Lot 1, DARYL-STREET, "Luton,"—Weatherboard Cottage, lath and plaster inside. Land 33 x 287 one side, 329ft other side, rear line 73ft, with entrance into Cook Park. Torrens Title.
Lot 2, DARYL-STREET, "Narrawilley,"—Adjoining above, Weatherboard Cottage. Land similar to above. Torrens Title.
Lot 3, TRAFALGAR and FONTAINBLEAU STS.—Area of land 2ac 2rd 38per. Torrens Title.
Lot 4, CARRUTHERS' DRIVE.—Building Site, 60ft 8in x 165ft 2in one side, 156ft 8½in on other side, rear line of 60ft to lane, being Lots 12 and 13.
MINTO. In a Deceased Estate.
Lot 1, LINCOLN and SUSSEX STREETS.—Area of 11ac 3rd 18per, 2 minutes from station.
Lot 2, ESSEX-STREET, extending to Bow Bowing Creek. Area of 8ac 3rd 22per, 8 minutes from station.
Lot 3, SOMERSET and LINCOLN STREETS.—Area of 5ac 1rd 24per, subdivided into 9 allotments, 2 minutes from station.
Lot 4, SURRY-STREET.—Lots 5, 6, 7, 8, and 9, section 9, Township of Minto, 330 x 247ft 6in, 3 minutes from station.
COOGEE, MOUNT-STREET.—Villa Site, 50 x 184, being Lot 25. Torrens Title.
COOGEE, DENNING and ATHOL STREETS.—Good Building Block, 40ft 4in x 100ft. Torrens Title.
STANMORE, CAVENDISH-STREET, No. 129.—Detached Brick Cottage Residence. Land 62 x 195, Torrens Title.
BANKSTOWN.
Lot 1.—SOUTH TERRACE and CHAPEL-ROAD.—Shop Site, 50 x 182ft 2½in one side, 150ft on other, rear line 153ft 8½in, being Lot 18, section 2, "Greenacre Park" Estate. Torrens Title.
Lot 2.—CHAPEL-ROAD, adjoining above.—Shop Site, 60ft 8½in x 153ft 3½in one side, 187ft 8½in on other, rear 50ft, being Lot 19, section 2, "Greenacre Park" Estate. Torrens Title.
PETERSHAM, FAIRMOUNT-STREET, No. 24.—Brick House. Land 40ft 9in x 120. Torrens Title.
LEICHHARDT, MARION-STREET, No. 174.—Brick Shop and Butchery Business. Land 20 x 132 to lane at rear. Torrens Title.
BELMORE, BURWOOD-ROAD.—Shop Site, 20 x 150 to lane at rear, being Lot 28, section 1, Redman's Estate. Torrens Title.
C. H. CRAMMOND,
AUCTIONEER,
115 PITT-STREET, SYDNEY.
NOTE.—The Sale will be held in the REAL ESTATE AUCTION ROOMS, 24 and 26 CASTLEREAGH-STREET, opp. Moore-street, at 11.30 a.m.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 21.
AT THE ROOMS, 281 COLLINS-STREET,
at 2 o'clock.
A GRAND AND VALUABLE CITY FREEHOLD.
STAR PICTURE THEATRE.
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NORTH SIDE OF BOURKE-STREET, MELBOURNE
(Between Swanston and Russell streets).
C. J. and T. HAM (in conjunction with SYDNEY ARNOLD, BEST, and CO., and BAYLEE and CO.) will sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, as above,
LAND, having a frontage of 32ft 5in to the north side of Bourke-street (between Swanston and Russell streets), by a depth on the east side of 183ft 5in and on the west side of 183ft 9¼in, together with the buildings thereon, used as a PICTURE THEATRE, and containing handsome vestibule entrance, artistically decorated, cantilever verandah over footpath, spacious ground floor, and gallery, let at a rental of £1500 per annum on a lease having about 13 years to run, with option for further five years at £1750 per annum, tenant paying rates.
THE BUILDINGS, which cover the whole of the land, have only recently been erected, and ARE OF MODERN DESIGN, constructed specially for the purposes of a PICTURE THEATRE, embracing all the most recent improvements essential to the successful conduct of a business of this description.
The POSITION is nearly in the centre of the valuable block between Swanston and Russell streets, within a few doors of the Theatre Royal and other places of amusement.
Title, Certificate. Solicitors, DARVALL and NORSFALL, 225 Collins-street.
Terms and further particulars from SYDNEY ARNOLD, BEST, and CO., 13 Queen-street; BAYLEE and CO. (E. C. Murphy), 322 Collins-street; or the Auctioneer, 281 Collins-street, Melbourne.

BALMAIN.
AUCTION SALE, ON THE GROUND,
TO-MORROW (WEDNESDAY) AFTERNOON,
DECEMBER 19th, AT 3.30 P.M.
WELLINGTON-STREET, off Weston-road, No. 39,
A DOUBLE-FRONTED COTTAGE, built of Weatherboards, iron roof, and containing half-hall, 3 large rooms, kitchen, glassed-in back verandah, detached laundry, with usual conveniences.
LAND 30 x 100, TORRENS TITLE.
The above Property is well built and in perfect order.
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Accumulated Funds, £36,500,000.
Annual Income, £5,117,000.
Distributes a Cash Bonus every year.
Amount Divided for one year, 1916, £988,207.
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The Society issues every desirable form of Policy Contract, from £5 upwards.
Write for Prospectus and full information without delay.
H. W. APPERLY, General Manager.

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RESIDENTIAL CHAMBERS, DARLINGHURST, 12 rooms, rent 32/6, clears £3/10/ weekly, £1[illegible]. NEEDHAM, 31 Elizabeth-street.

RESID. CHAMBERS, city, 10 large rooms, motor garage, rent 30/, clears £3 weekly, £95. NEEDHAM, 31 Elizabeth-street.

CONFECTIONERY, shop, 5 rooms, rent 25/, trade £18 weekly, £65. Needham and Co.

BUTTER Run, 9 boxes butter, 80 doz. eggs, horse, cart, £160. Needham, 31 Elizabeth st.

GROCERY and Mixed, shop, 5 rooms, rent [illegible], trade £20 wkly, £80. Needham and Co.

DAIRY, Cottage, 5 rms., 6 acres land, rent 30/, gallons daily, 20 cows and steam plant, etc. £700. NEEDHAM, 31 Elizabeth-street.

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MIXED BUSINESS, on right side of busy main street, fine residence attached. VERY OLD ESTABLISHED. A smart couple could do really well here, and make the turnover what it CAN and SHOULD BE. PLANT includes cart, Dayton scales, mirrors, M.T. tables, and is worth more than the SMALL PRICE ASKED, TWENTY POUNDS. £20.

HAM and BEEF and MIXED, nicely fitted shop, and decent dwelling, in good business centre. PRESENT TRADE shows £3 WEEKLY PROFITS, and under changed conditions CAN BE DOUBLED. All necessary plant. This is an ABSOLUTE BARGAIN at £50.

We have many others. Call and see us.
Buyers Financed into all Businesses.
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HIGH-CLASS MILLINERY. THE BUSIEST CENTRE OF THE CITY. LONG LEASE. EVERYTHING HIGH-CLASS. THE TAKINGS ARE GUARANTEED £15 WK., AND AN ASSURED £10 CLEAR ABOVE ALL EXPENSES. STOCK ABOUT £250, AT VALUATION. PLANT and FITTINGS £150. FULL PRICE ABOUT £470. BEST PROPOSITION IN SYDNEY FOR MONEY. AS TO TERMS, CALL AND SEE US PERSONALLY.

G. J. NELSON, G. J. NELSON, Hotel and Business Broker, 80 PITT-STREET.
HOTEL, FREE HOUSE, FREE HOUSE. In one of the best positions, heart of Sydney. TAKINGS £75 WEEK. BEER 8 x 36's week. The owner of the Freehold will give a new 7 YEARS' LEASE at a fair rent to an acceptable party FOR £1500. I can arrange good terms if required. This hotel has been renovated and furnished, tiled, fine, easy worked bar. Well worth inspection by prospective buyer. THE SNAP OF 1917.

WARDEN, HOTEL BROKERS, 163 Pitt-street, next to G.P.O.
Established 1886.

SUBURBAN HOTEL, at section end, in present hands 15 years. The lease is six years. Rent £4. Beer trade averages 6 x 36's. A very comfortable home. £1000.

HOTEL, RAILWAY SUBURB. The average beer trade is 6 x 36's weekly. Bar takings £100. Full price £2000.

CITY HOTEL, VERY IMPOSING POSITION. Bar trade £130 weekly, up-to-date premises, handsome bar. £1150.

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GENERAL STORE, LEICHHARDT, D.F. CORNER SHOP, 5 ROOMS, RENT 25/, TRADE £40 WK. ALL CASH, NO BOOKS, WILL SELL STOCK, PLANT, AT VALUATION, NO GOODWILL. This business has only changed hands once in 30 years. About £250. Sole Agents, Ralston, Searl, 37 Elizabeth-street.

CONFECTIONERY, Soft Drinks, Stationery, etc., eastern subs., 4 rooms, rent 25/, well stocked. Full value for money. Profits £2 wk. clear. Xmas box. £30. RALSTON, SEARL, 37 Elizabeth-street.

GROCERY, Mixed, D.F., cor., 5 rooms, trade £12 wk., nicely stocked, can be increased, old established, will sell stock, plant at valuation. No goodwill asked. £35. RALSTON, SEARL, 37 Elizabeth-st.

RESIDENTIAL CHAMBERS, handy to city, close ferry and baths, beautiful view, containing 7 rooms, etc., nice garden, splendidly furnished, piano, etc., etc. RENT 27/6. PRICE ONLY £120. A GIFT.

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JACKSON'S PREMIER BUSINESS EXCHANGE. Only Address, 10 Bond-street, city.
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161 CASTLEREAGH-STREET.
CHINESE, JAPANESE, or SINGALESE CHEF, £2/10/; M. COUPLE, £2, small hotel, cook and useful. WAITER, 25s, good tips; PORTERS, 20s, tips. BOOTS, PORTER, [illegible], same hotel. MAN COOK, £2; COOK-BAKER, £2, small hotel. HOTEL USEFUL, 25s, city; HANDY MAN, 25s, subs. KITCHENMEN, 25s, 30s; YARDMAN, 25s. WOM. COOKS, £2, 30s, 25s; L'DRESSES, 20s, 25s. COOK, 35s, L'DRESS, 30s, W'TRESS, 25s 6d, same htl. LAUNDRESS, 25s, also H.M. WAITRESS, 20s, same htl. COOK-L., 30s, also H.M.W., 17s 6d, same pl., Mts. COOK, [illegible], also H.M. WAITRESS, 20s, same hotel. WOM. COOKS, 30s, [illegible] table, light bfts., W. and S. TWO GIRLS, 20s each, same hotel; also, 17s 6d ea. Mts. TWO GIRLS, 20s 6d each, tips, same tourist hotel. HOUSEMAIDS, 22s 6d, 20s, WAITRESSES, 22s 6d, 20s. FARES PAID. RYAN and CO., 161 Castlereagh-st.

BOWRAL.—Lady Help wanted, light duties, pleasant home. Address, Box 790, G.P.O., Sydney.

BARMAID, wages 45/, sleep out. Apply after 10, Imperial Hotel, Erskineville-rd., Union-st., Erskineville.

BARMEN. Wanted, Useful, assist bar. Apply after 8 o'clock, Shamrock Hotel, [illegible], Rushcutter Bay.

BRABANT and CO., 63 Elizabeth-street, Sydney. Mother and Daughter, £2 12/; Chef, 40/; Women Cooks, 40/, 35/, 30/, 25/; Housemaids, 17/6; Several Waitresses, 20/, 17/6; H.M.-Waitress, 17/6; Yardman, 25/ (good places); Kitchenman, 20/.

BARMAN, Usefuls, 55/, 41/6; Night Porter, 25/. DRINK WAITER, Hotel, Mountains, good tips, 30/. KITCHENMAN, city cafe, 42/6; Kit'man, hotel, 25/. HOUSEMAIDS, first class hotels, subs., gd. tips, 20/. WAITRESSES, leading hotels, seaside, city, 20/.
MASON'S, 61 Elizabeth-st. City 4115.

COOK, with little general work, good wages. Mrs. Pratten, Pymble. Tel., 58 Wahroonga.

COOK, must be thoroughly competent. Good wages. References. 44 Middleton-st., Stanmore.

COOK, Woman, [illegible], hotel, fare paid. [illegible] and Co., 161 Castlereagh-st.

COOK and L., Leura, summer months, 30/, interv. 11. Miss Rowe, 57 Market-st.

COMPT. Cook, for country. Apply from Duke Hotel, Botany-rd., Waterloo, between 8 and 10 a.m.

COOK-GENERAL.—Wanted, a Cook-General, help given, 25/. Mrs. Punch, 93 Ridge-st., N. Sydney.

COMPETENT Young GENERAL wanted, small family, easy place. 'Phone, 788 Manly.

COOK-LAUNDRESS and HOUSEMAID, country, wages £2, 3 in family. Apply Room 27, Petty's Hotel, between 12 and 2.

COMFORTABLE Home, small salary, offered woman or girl in return light services. Ceres, Rocky Point-road, Kogarah.

COMPETENT WOMAN for laundry and cleaning, refs. required, local preferred. Shalimar, Kuring-gai Chase-avenue, Turramurra. Tel., 383 Wahroonga.

COOK, 30/; H. MD., 20/, small hotel, ctry.; G. GENERALS, Waitresses, P. Mds., N. H. Mds., Cooks, Kit. Md., Helps, etc. Mrs. Davis, 61 Market-st. City 8355.

CLEAN, capable Woman for Villa at Randwick, 1 or 2 days week.
URGENT, G.P.O., Sydney.

COOK, Edge., 2 months, 3 in fam., 30/; Cooks, tram sub., 27/6; Dar. Pt., 30/; Nurses (2), Cook-Gens., Relieving Cooks, and other Maids, H. and P., etc. Miss ROWE, 57 Market-street.

COOK, priv. fam., Moss Vale, 35s, also HOUSEMAID (only), for same place, 20s. Can rec. Refs. Miss DAWSON, 5th floor, Ocean House, Moore-street.

COOK, 30/ (woman), small b.-house, Leura; W. H'KEEPER, 20/, 2 adts., Strathf.; H.P. MAIDS, 25/ to 20/. Miss HUNGERFORD, 65 Market-street.

COOK, priv. h.h., S. Coast, 30/, kitchen help kept; Housemaid-Waitress, same house, 25/. Mrs. TREVOR JONES, 14 Moore-street.

COOK-GENERAL WANTED,
No Washing. Good Wages.
32 MONA ROAD, Darling Point.
Tel., 1344 Edg.

COMPETENT GENERAL, no cooking, or H.P. MAID, 6 weeks' employment, Moss Vale, [illegible], 22/6. SCOTT FELL and CO., First Floor, 261 George-street. Tel., 9220 City.

COMPETENT CHILDREN'S NURSE, wages £1. Apply Wednesday morning. Telephone, J2212.
Mrs. WALKER,
Raamah, Russell-avenue, Lindfield.

COOK-GENERAL, Protestant, without washing, permanent or temporary. Apply before noon,
Mrs. SPAIN,
Gingie, Kurraba-road,
Tel., North 267. Neutral Bay.

COOK, thoroughly experienced, good wages, references required. Immediately.
Apply,
for Appointment,
Telephone 287 Edgecliff.

DHURST-RD (27).—Wanted, Cooks, Generals, for flats, 25/; H.M.-Waitress. Tel., 568 William.

EXPERIENCED Housekeeper, gas stove, no washing, good home, 25/. 409 Castlereagh-st.

ELDERLY MAN wanted, cook and do for a grain. on farm, 10/ week. L. J., Randwick P.O.

EXP. Pantrymaid, used to scrubbing. Apply, ready to start, 25/9, Romano's Cafe, top King-st.

FOR Port Hacking.—G.A.P., poultry and gen. useful. Meet Perrie's, Castlereagh-st., 11 o'clock to-day.

FOR RANDWICK.—Wanted, SMART GENERAL, able to cook, must be competent, for small family of two, good wages. Apply 9 a.m.,
THE SYDNEY BAG STORE,
22 Oxford-street, city.

FAITH, Mrs., 66 C'reagh-st., near King-st. Tel., 1012L. BARMAN, city, award; BOOTS-USEFUL, Mountain HOTEL, 25/; ASSISTANT GARDENER, able to milk, 28/; BARMAID, used both bars, 30/; 2 [illegible] HOUSEMAIDS, Tourists' HOTEL; LAUNDRESS only, Hotel, 25/; WAITRESSES, for city HOTEL, sleep out; WAITRESS, S. Coast; HOUSEMAID, assist Bar, same HOTEL, 20/ each; HOUSEMAID-WAITRESSES, city and suburbs, 25/.

GARDENER, Useful, [illegible], good country hotel. Apply [illegible] Castlereagh-st.

GIRL or young WOMAN for household duties, at once. 94 George-st. West.

GENERAL wanted, no washing, small family. 113 Enmore-rd., Enmore.

GENERAL Maid wanted, ref., 2 adults, Cottage, gd. wages. Mrs. Morrison, 5 Avenue-rd., Glebe P.

GARDENER and Useful wanted. Between 11 and 12, apply 408 George-st., near King-st. £1 week.

GARDENER wanted, Drummoyne, 2 days week, scythe, mow, general. S. Hall, Moore-st., Sydney.

GENT., compt., no cook., boarding house, 18s. 20 Princess-st., M'Mahon's Point. Tel., North 947.

GENERAL, Protestant, for country, child not objected. Farm, [illegible].

GENERAL. Apply Mrs. M'Donald, Rob Roy Hotel, Adolphus-st., Balmain, near Stephen-st. ferry.

GENERAL, no washing. Civic Hotel, Argyle-st., Miller's Point.

GOOD GENERAL, small family, Austinmer, South Coast. Apply West., 174 Castlereagh-st., Redfern.

GOOD Plain Cook wanted, top wages. Tel., 139 Wm., Lorne, 76 Roslyn Gardens, Darlinghurst.

GENERAL, no laundry, 2 other maids kept, liberal outings. Apply 7 Darlinghurst-rd., Potts Point.

GOOD STRONG GIRL as GENERAL. Brighton, Belmore-rd., Coogee.

GARDENERS, 2 comp. Gardeners, good wages. Before 8.30, after 6, W. Griggs, Spring-st., Chatswd.

GARDENER, competent, wanted, few days' work. Nuigin, Neridah-st., Chatswood.

GENERAL SERVANT wanted, young, light duties, refs. North Shore Hotel, M'Mahon's Point.

GIRL, young, as Children's Nurse, to go to mountains. Apply after 10, TEWALLEWAH, Arden-street, Coogee, tram terminus.

GIRL WANTED for Light Domestic Service, good wages, liberal outings. Mrs. BOYNTON,
Syracuse, Imperial-avenue, Bondi.

HOTEL USEFUL wanted, sober, active, references required. North Shore Hotel, M'Mahon's Point.

HOUSEMAID-WAITRESSES, exceptionally good wages, also Shop Girls. Continental Cafe, Manly. T., 189.

HOUSEMAIDS, also Waitresses, friends, comml. htls., Mtns., S. Coast, 20s, tips. Israel's, 68 Hunter-st.

HOUSEMAID wanted, for Leura, 1 month. Mrs. W. Lawrence Langdon, Tregothnan, Frazer-rd., L'sham.

HOUSEMAID wanted, assist bar. Foster's Hotel, Clarence and Druitt sts, opposite Town Hall.

HOUSEMAID, 25/, ex. tips, Bowral, good quarters, interview 11. Miss Gardiner, 57 Elizabeth-st.

HOUSEMAID, smart, easy position, no washing, good wages. Euston Hotel, George-st. N.

HOUSEMAID-WAITRESS wanted. Hotel Kensington, South Kensington. Take Long Bay tram.

HOUSEMAID, also PANTRYMAID required. Apply Earl's Court, Manly.

HOUSEKEEPER, working or general, for 6 weeks, Lady, 3 children (walking), holidays free, good position, 25/. Tarlee, Carlisle-st., Rose Bay. F2342.

HOUSEMAN, cook for two, wages £2, European or Japanese. Apply 10 to 12 Wednesday, Thursday. Mrs. Clayton, Royal Prince Alfred Hospital.

HOUSEMAID, for station, 1 gentleman, COOK-H'KEEPER KEPT, able do mending, 25s. Can rec. Refs. Miss Dawson, 5th floor, Ocean Hse., Moore-st.

HOUSEMAID-LAUNDRESS, 22s 6d, assist waiting; or Housemaid-Waitress, 17s 6d. Mrs. NOONAN, Normanhurst, Katoomba. Tel., 92 K.

HOUSEMAIDS wanted. Hotel Kosciusko and Jenolan Caves House. Apply
TOURIST BUREAU, Challis House.

HOUSEMAIDS (2), SCULLERYMAID; wages 17/6 per week, references required.
RENWICK HOSPITAL, Thomas-street, city.

HOUSEMAN-WAITER, 25/; Housemaid-Waitress, 20/, for boarding-house, other help kept. Mrs. DEAN, Tramore, 82 Darley-road, corner Addison-road, Manly. 'Phone, 886.

HOUSEKEEPER (WORKING), for gentleman and 12-year-old son, refined Protestant Woman, 25 to 35, without ties, and fond of quiet life, musical preferred; a cosy up-to-date home, North Shore line.
Apply
Miss WELCH,
99 Elizabeth-street.

HOTEL COUPLE, North-western line, man as cook, woman housemaid, assist laundry, £3 10s per week. WOMAN COOK, £2, quiet mountain hotel, help kept. PANTRYMAID or PANTRYBOY, 20s, for hotel, Mt. Vic., Kat'ba (2); H.-Md.-W'tresses, same pl., 20s ea. THIRROUL (Illawarra line); H'maid-W'tress, 22s 6d (2), 2 months eng., return fares, first-class place. Miss Macnamara, Wentworth-ct., 64 Eliz.-st. City 8374.

HITTMAN-FRITH'S LABOUR AGENCY,
11 ELIZ. ST. TEL., 1555. EST. 30 YEARS.
M. C., hospital, m. wardsman, w. cook, £110. GROOM, 55s; Boundary-rider, 30s; Hut Ck., h'stead, 35s. STN. HANDS, 30s; Lads (5), 25s; D. Hand, 55s, m., del. Porter, Groom, htl., 22/6; H'man, 25s; Ck., 40s, cty.
MAIDS' DEPT. (LADY IN CHARGE).
M., Dtr., 55s; C., L., 30s; H.M.W., 25s; W'tress, 22/6; H.m., Mts., 22/6; Hkr., 20/; L'dress, 20/; Wardsm., 22/6; Woman Cooks (7), 45s, 40s, cty. h.; Gen. (5), 30s, 25s.

KITCHENMAID WANTED. The Kiosk, right on the beach, Bondi.

KITCHENMAID, 25/, good place, Bowral, interview 11. Miss Gardiner, 57 Elizabeth-st.

KITCHENMAN, Useful, H'maid-W'tress, Cook, Gen., Manageress emp. office. Diamond, Stn. Hse., Rwy.

LAUNDRY.—Wanted Exp. SORTER. Olympia Laundry, 835-7 Dowling-st., nr. West Pde., D'hurst.

LAUNDRESS, 30s, for first-class country hotel. Apply Gordon, 163 Castlereagh-st.

LAUNDRY.—Plain and Starch IRONERS. Federal Laundry Co., 176 William-st.

LAUNDRESS, 25s, for first-class hotel, near Sydney. Apply Gordon, 163 Castlereagh-st.

LAUNDRY.—Sorter and Packer, highest wages. Victoria Laundry, Darlinghurst-rd.

LAUNDRY.—Wanted, Shirt or Collar Machinist, all-round Ironer. Glen Laundry, 173 Cowper-st., Wav'ley.

LAUNDRY.—IRONER, Starch and Plain work. 30 Erskine-st., city.

LAUNDRY.—Good all-round ironers wanted at once. Mr. Corbett, Rozelle Laundry, Burt-st., Rozelle.

LAUNDRESS, exp., hotel, Wollongong, 20/, and keep. 10.30, Miss Gardiner, 57 Elizabeth-st.

LADY HELP, all duties, wash, iron out. Mrs. R. Spring, St. Elmo-st., Mosman. 'Phone, Y2214.

LAUNDRY.—Wtd., good Starch Ironers, highest rates. Parisian Laun., 114 Oxford-st., Woollahra, opp. pk.

LAUNDRY.—Wtd., GIRL to starch and plain ironing, constant, 25/, 4 days. My Ldry., 489 Crown-st., S.H.

LAUNDRY.—STARCH IRONER. Tasma Laundry, 83 Parramatta-rd., Annandale.

LAUNDRY.—Wanted, Starch and Plain Ironers. Parisian Laundry, 234 Jersey-rd., Paddington.

LABOURER wanted. 606 George-st., city.

LIGHT GENERAL, 3 adults, easy place, good wages. 20 Martin-rd., Centennial Park. Tel., 159 Padd.

LAUNDRY. Backer Up wanted. Paddington Steam Laundry, Jersey-rd., Woollahra.

LAUNDRY.—Wanted, good Shirt and Collar Machinist. Austral Laundry, [illegible] Dowling-st., Paddington.

LAUNDRY. Sorter and Packer, exp., or learner, highest wages. Edwards, 276 Liverpool-rd., Ashfield.

LAUNDRY.—Wanted, honest, strong LAD, good wages. Laundry, Oxford-st., Epping.

LAUNDRY.—Wanted, experienced SORTERS. Grant's Steam Laundry, Pitt-st., Milson's Point.

LIGHT GENERAL or Lady Help, small family, good wages, liberal outings. Mrs. BROUGHTON, 20 Wallangra-road, Mosman.

LAUNDRY.—Wanted, Starch and Plain Ironers, also Girls, to learn sorting and packing. Good wages. MOSMAN LAUNDRY, Spofforth-street, Mosman.

LADY HELP or GENERAL, 5 in fam., seaside 5 weeks, no laundry, 25s, refs., must be able cook. Miss Dawson, 5th floor, Ocean House, Moore-street.

LAUNDRY.—Wanted, Washers, Hangers-out, and Folders, good wages, fare paid.
MOSMAN LAUNDRY, Spofforth-st., Mosman.

LIGHT GENERAL, good home, liberal outings, Sunday afternoons off. Apply after 1, Mrs. BARTON, Rosario, 23 Canonbury Grove, Dulwich Hill.

LAUNDRY. A competent SORTER required, heat winter, good and permanent position, all holidays.
WILSON'S STEAM LAUNDRY,
Bourke and Arthur streets, Surry Hills.

LIGHT GENERAL, for small family, modern cottage, easy place, wages 25/.
No. 12 Kona Flats, M'Mahon's Point.
'Phone, North 518.

LAUNDRY.—Competent Sorters, high wages; also intelligent Girls, to learn sorting; compt. General Ironers, Folders. LION LAUNDRY, Wentworth-street, off Underwood-street, Paddington.

LADY Help or Light General, wages 14s, no washing, 2 adults in family. Apply Mrs. Lee, Strathlee, Mansion-road, off Cooper-street, Strathfield (Concord side, 7 minutes from station).

LADY HELP, washing optional, all conveniences, 2 evenings off, Wed., Sunday afts., Saturday from tea, live as family. Mrs. BURROWS. Ask Grocer, corner Arden and Susan streets, Little Coogee.

LADY HELP, good salary, assistance given, good home.
Mrs. PHELPS, Melliar,
Tel., Hunter 209. Woolwich.

LADY NURSES' BUREAU.—INFANT'S NURSE, N.S., 1 month BOWRAL, 25/; PYMBLE, 1 baby, 15 months, 25/; 2 INFANT, 10 months, R. BAY, 3 months LEURA; L. NURSE, Station, under-nurse kept, 22/6; Companion Help, country, Newport, 20/. Rofe, 105 Pitt-st.

LADY HELP, for plain cooking and assist to two rooms, downstairs, no washing, 20s.
Also,
NURSERY HOUSEMAID or HELP, for light duties, good home, 15s. Mrs. DANIELL, Yarracoonta,
[illegible] Roslyn-avenue, Roseville.

LADY WORKERS' BUREAU.—COMPANION NURSERY-GOVERNESS, young children, go NEWPORT two months, 21/; LADY for housework, do mending, 2 children, 9, 7, WOOLLAHRA, 20/; 2 children, 5, 2, JUNEE town, 30/; COMPANION WORKER, lady, 2 children, Stn., Tas. Miss ROFE, 105 Pitt-street.

LADY NURSES' BUREAU, 14 Moore-street.—Lady Nurse, 2 children, 20/; Nurse, N'woman, 20/; Lady Help (no laundry), 2 adults, 25/; Dom. Worker (flat), no laundry or clean., 25/; Nurse, N'woman, 2 walking children, 20/, 3 p.m. to-day; Lady Nurses, 20/, 18/, etc. Mrs. Trevor Jones. City 2258.

MARRIED Couples, £115; H'maids, 25/, ctry. hotel; Useful, 25/; W. Cook, 35/. O'Connell, 16 Eliz.-st.

MID-AGED and young Helps, Nurses, Gens., good family places. Mrs. Miller, 44 Royal Arcade.

MAN, for private residence, country, understands horses, milk one cow, attend garden, abstainer and pensioner preferred. Box 833, G.P.O.

MAN, for Mountains, kitchen work, good, comfortable home, work light, week-end a month. Apply F. B., 21 Oxford-street, Sydney.

MARRIED COUPLE, for country, near Sydney, 4 adults, housemaid kept, COOK-LAUNDRESS, and man to grow vegs., milk, etc., £130. Can rec. recommend. Refs. Miss Dawson, 5th floor, Ocean Hse., Moore-st.

MARRIED MAN, drive military cart, £3 week. DAIRY YARDMAN, 27/6, suburbs; interview 10. STATION GROOM, [illegible], 30/, West line.
SIMMONDS, 188 Castlereagh-street.

MARRIED Couple, small hospital, man wardsman, wife cook laundress, £130, keep, light place. MARRIED MAN, milk, feed garden, groom, £2 5/, house, milk, country. Meet gent. 11.
SIMMONDS, 188 Castlereagh-street.

MARRIED CPL., S. line, to work hot. them, man cook, wife H'maid-W'tress, £130; stn., Grenfell, man milk, kill, and stn. work, wife gen., part year only, bachs., £110. Mother and Useful Dtr., stn., N.L., £127; 2 Sisters or Friends, stn., N.L., £130; General and Useful Hands. Schofield, 41 Elizabeth-street.

MARRIED COUPLE, man station useful, wife cook for men's quarters, child not objected, furnished cottage and found, £120, N.L.; M.C., man station useful, wife C.-General, £120, W.L.; £104, nr. Maitland; £115, N.L.; M.C., man milk cow, groom, garden, wife Cook-General, 3 in family, £120, nr. P'matta; Cronulla, milk, 30/, N.L., 30/, W.L.; Youth milk, ride, 30/, N. Coast; Mother and Daughter, 2 Friends, or Sisters, £130, N.L., £120, nr. Dubbo; General Servant, child not objected, £1, 6 in family, W.L., 22/6, child not objected, 2 in fam., N.L.; Cook 40/, also H'maid, 20/, institution, N.L. Miss WILTON, 4 Castlereagh-st., [illegible], near Hunter-street.

MARR. BDRY. RIDER, wife no duties, £120, colt breaker; [illegible] man milk and kill, wife no duties, [illegible]; Man Cook, Wife Baker, £130. GENERAL STATION HANDS, 30/, ea. North line. GROOM GARDENER, 30/, and keep; HARVEST HAND. [illegible] MAN, under 20, able to milk and ride, 25/, station. H'MAN-WAITER, hotel, suburbs, 25/. MAN, drive saloon cart and [illegible], 30/.
MAIDS' DEPARTMENT.
H'MAID-W'TRESSES (2), hotel, subs., 22/6 each, experience, also West and South lines. [illegible] H'KEEPER, west, no baking or cooking, 30/. COMPANION-HELP, subs., seaside, int. 11. TWO SISTERS or FRIENDS, all duties, 3 adults, near Goulburn, £75 each. [illegible]
SIMPSON BROS., 1 Elizabeth-st.

NURSEGIRL, sleep at home. Civic Hotel, Argyle-st., Miller's Point.

NURSE, Lady, 20/, Goulburn, 2 children, interview 12 noon, ref. Miss Gardiner, 57 Elizabeth-st.

PORTER, Useful, 20/, good tips; Youth, 18, to go [illegible], interview 11. Miss Gardiner, 57 Eliz.-st.

PANTRYMAID, no Sund. or holiday work, start right away. McKew's Dining Rooms, 22 Pitt-st., C. Quay.

RESPECTABLE WOMAN, to Caretake cottage, Xmas holidays. [illegible], Gurner's-av., Marrickville.

RELIABLE Women, Washing and Cleaning. M. L., 14 Florence-st., St. Peters.

REFINED HELP, fond children, Protestant. After 11, Florenceville, Dudley-st., Lidcombe.

REFINED GIRL or Middle-aged Person, care two children.
OXFORD HOTEL,
Crystal-street and Canterbury-road, Petersham.

SUPERIOR GENERAL, light duties, all evenings free. Leigh Cottage, Mount-st. and Belmore-rd., Coogee.

SMART GIRL, Tearoom, Conf., start at once. 606 George-st., opp. Crystal Palace.

TRUSTWORTHY Woman as General Servant, from 9 morning till 7 night. Apply early. 10 Boundary-st., Paddington, near Stadium.

USEFUL BOY for country, references. [illegible], Camden.

USEFUL Man, able milk, 30/, keep; 2 H.Mds., city hotel; Waiter, Manly. King's, Daking H., Rawson-pl.

USEFUL wanted, Hotel Kosciusko. Apply 9.30, TOURIST BUREAU, Challis House.

USEFUL, for hotel, seafaring man preferred. Bay-view Hotel, Woy Woy. 'Phone, 12.

WANTED, MAN, Milk and Deliver. T. McNamara, Williams-rd., Carlton.

WANTED, young MAN, gardener, useful. Apply Telephone, 212 Edgecliff.

WANTED, WOMAN to wash. [illegible], Beach-st., [illegible], tram terminus.

WAITRESS WANTED. The Kiosk, right on the beach, Bondi.

WANTED, mid-aged Woman, 2 wks., mother's help. Apply early, 92 Brougham-st., Darlinghurst.

WANTED, smart Waitress; also Pantrymaid, for tea and coffee. Apply 9.30, Lossen's Cafe, 51 C'rgh. st.

WANTED, useful, steady Man, milk, garden, etc., 30/. Apply Pottie and Sons, 154 Castlereagh-st., Syd.

WANTED, smart, useful GIRL, able assist dining-room. 36 Park-st., start at once.

WANTED, a good General, wages £1 per week. Apply Florida, 25 Lennon-st., Mosman.

WANTED, Woman, to do Washing and Cleaning, Wednesday. Clonmel, Malton-rd., Beecroft. Ep. 53.

WANTED, GARDENER. Trentham, 70 Murdoch-st., Neutral Bay.

WAITRESS wanted, no Sunday work. Piccadilly Cafe, 130 Pitt-st., next King-st.

WANTED, a HOUSEMAID. Metropolitan Hotel, George and Bridge sts.

WANTED, useful Help, for kitchen, good wages. 36 Blue-st., North Sydney. 'Phone, 1274 N.S.

WANTED, Kitchenman, Useful. Apply The Hastings, [illegible] Wharf, Neutral Bay. Tel., North 704.

WANTED, strong Person as WARDSMAID. Apply at once, 16 College-st.

WANTED, GARDENER, day work, 9/. Apply, with refs., [illegible], King-st., Enfield.

WANTED, a smart WAITRESS; also a General, start at once. 38 King-st., city.

WANTED, good strong Woman, for few days, washing and cleaning. 563 Dowling-st., M. Park.

WANTED, experienced WAITRESS. Apply [illegible], 435 Pitt-st., Haymarket.

WANTED, experienced MILK CARTER. Warner, Edinburgh-rd., Willoughby.

WANTED, GIRL, to assist light housework. 88 Flinders-st., Darlinghurst.

WANTED, good GIRL, for public bar. Apply A.J.C. Hotel, Randwick.

WANTED, Person, for few hours daily. Mrs. Burke, [illegible], Wellington-st., Bondi.

WASHERWOMAN wanted, strong, reliable, constant work. 31 Rowe-st., Sydney, near Hotel Australia.

WANTED, smart WAITRESS. Apply 88 Elizabeth-st.

WANTED, smart TEA WAITRESS. Apply Town Hall Coffee Palace, 527 George-st.

WANTED, an experienced ORDER WAITRESS. Apply Ambrosia Cafe, 132 Pitt-st.

WANTED, All-round IRONER, constant. Kent Laundry, [illegible] Booth-st., Annandale.

WANTED, Female Second COOK, also KITCHENMAID. 86 Erskine-st.

WOMAN, washing, ironing, cleaning. Apply to-day, Myola, N. Canterbury-rd., Dulwich H., op. church.

WANTED, Tea WAITRESS, also PANTRYMAID. National Coffee Palace, 615 George-st.

WAITRESS, experienced, no Sunday work; start at once. 108 Elizabeth-st., opp. S. T. Leigh's.

WANTED, resp. Woman, for washing and cleaning. App. H. Beards and Co., 330 Oxford-st., Padd'ton.

WANTED, good General, easy place. Apply 8 Underwood-st., near post-office, Paddington.

WANTED, Barman, casual, refs. After 9, Imperial Hotel, Oxford-st., Paddington. Tel., 280 Padd.

WANTED, a GIRL, to Assist with Housework. Apply 87 Pitt-st., Redfern.

WANTED a WAITRESS and PANTRYMAID. 174 Castlereagh-st., city.

WANTED, smart, experienced BARMAN, start at once, 8 o'c., Markets Hotel, Quay-Ultimo sts, Hkt.

WANTED, WAITRESS. Hotel Burlington, Hay-st.

WANTED, 2 HOUSEMAIDS. Hotel Burlington, Hay-st.

WANTED, experienced WAITRESS, good wages. 197 George-st. West.

WANTED, experienced Waitress, also Kitchenman. 472 George-st., city, near Market-st.

WANTED, good GENERAL, not cooking. Apply 10 o'clock, Britannia Hotel, King-st., city.

WANTED, a MAN for clearing land at Clifton Gardens. A. Read and Son, 138 Walker-st., N. Sydney.

WANTED, 2 Housemaids, by day or with residence. Phillip-court, 165 Phillip-st.

WANTED, General, all duties, good home, good wages. Apply 28 Flinders-st., Darlinghurst.

WANTED, Woman, for general work. Lyceum Cafe, 214 Pitt-st.

WANTED, 2 WAITRESSES. Lyceum Cafe, 214 Pitt-st.

WANTED, Night Porter, electric lift certificate. Lyceum Residential Cafe, 214 Pitt-st.

WANTED, experienced Waitress, no Sunday work, start at once. Apply 78 Hunter-st.

WANTED, General, good cook. Foster's Hotel, cnr. Clarence and Druitt sts, opp. Town Hall.

WANTED, Order Waitress. Apply Taverna Coffee Palace, Regent-st., next Police Station.

WAITRESS, experienced, no Sunday work. Apply 117 Harris-st., Pyrmont, opp. P.O., Pyrmont.

WANTED, Man, milk and deliver. W. G. Allen, Shorthorn Dairy, Carrington-rd., Randwick.

WANTED, kind Person, to nurse sick lady, good home. State wages required, 3157, Herald Office.

WANTED, an experienced Waitress, 26/ week, sleep out. Permanent. Hotel Metropole.

WANTED, a General, cottage, women, Fern-st., Randwick. Little Coogee tram. T., Randwick 801.

WANTED, y. Girl, help at table, for Xmas Day, after 4 weeks Cronulla. Gregg's, Tel., L1381.

WANTED, 2 Friends or Sisters, as H.M. W., hotel, Walgett, 20/ ea., leave at once. Gregg's, T., L1381.

WANTED, Young WOMAN, for office cleaning. Hoskins'-buildings, 8 Spring-st., city.

WANTED, Housemaid and Assist Bar, £1, ref. Apply Town Hall Hotel, King-st., Newtown.

WANTED, smart PANTRYMAID. Mockbell's Java Cafe, 25A Elizabeth-st., city.

WANTED, Strong GIRL. Apply 91 Jersey-rd., Woollahra.

WANTED, Man, Jobbing Gardener. Apply betw. 7 and 8, Foster's newsagent, Edgecliff.

WANTED, Nurse Girl, few hours daily. Apply Eglinton, Glebe Point, tram terminus.

WANTED, Domesticated Help, eld. woman not obj. to, for small fam., Hurstville. 21 Craigend-st., D'hurst.

WAITRESS, mornings and evenings, suit midday, Darlinghurst Cafe, Woolcott-st., Darlinghurst.

WANTED, elderly Man as USEFUL, at once, suit pensioner. Tel., 128 Manly.

WANTED, respectable Youth as Houseman-Waiter. The Pines, Ocean Beach, Manly. Tel., 428.

WANTED, for Usher's Metropolitan Hotel, Ltd., a good, strong Woman as Staff Waitress. At once.

WANTED, NIGHT PANTRYMAID. Wages 25/. Apply 8.30, ready to start, 67 Campbell-st., city.

WAITRESSES, also PANTRYMAIDS, experienced. Apply Clarence Cafe, Royal Arcade, George-st. end.

WANTED, good Houseman. Apply [illegible], Neutral Bay, adjoining ferry.

WANTED, an experienced Waitress; also Kitchenmaid. Tuff, 287 Elizabeth-st.

WANTED, Woman or Girl, to assist housework, no washing. 255 Cleveland-st., Redfern.

WANTED, a HOUSEMAID, start to-day. 40 Elizabeth-st., Redfern.

WAITRESS, take charge room, also Housemaid-Waitress, top wages. Lorne, 76 Roslyn Gardens, D'hurst.

WANTED, Housemaid, young Girl, sleep out. Apply after 10, 142 Flinders-st., Moore Park.

WANTED, sober Woman, from 8 a.m. till 2, little cooking; references. 8 Thomson-st., Darlinghurst.

WANTED, light General, no washing, 2 children. Pasadena, Grosvenor-st., off Eastern-av., Kensington.

WANTED, exp. WAITER, at once, or Housemaid, Waitress. 82 Darley-rd., Manly. 'Phone, 866.

WANTED, good GENERAL, washing opt. Coogee, [illegible], Petersham.

WANTED, good GENERAL, 2 family. Apply Mrs. H. Hellier, Olga, Adam-st., Concord. 'Phone, U4170.

WANTED, light GENERAL, small family. Mrs. Denniston, 21 O. S. Head-rd., Bondi Junc. T., 20 Wav.

WANTED, a GENERAL, 4 in family, fares paid. 870 New Canterbury-rd., Dulwich Hill.

WANTED, at once, good GENERAL, no washing, liberal outings. Onelunga, Watkin-st., Rockdale.

WANTED, WOMAN to wash. Apply after 7 a.m., 20 Nelson-st., Annandale.

WANTED, COOK, man or woman. W. Buckan, Milton Dairy, Carrington-rd., Randwick.

WANTED, a good strong GEN., sleep in or out, gd. wages. Mrs. Webb, Oxford-st., Epping.

WANTED, a trustworthy Woman, to housekeep for working man. A.C., Oxford-st. P.O., city.

WANTED, MAN, accustomed to work, fish shop. Apply B.C., Oxford-st. P.O.

WANTED, a smart Woman for housework, daily. 17 Glen-st., Milson's Point. 'Phone, 1387 N.

WANTED, clean, sober MAN, used to be sea. Apply early. Heathfield, [illegible]-st., Hurlstone Park.

WANTED, NEEDLEWOMAN, child's dress. Apply at once, 25 Plunkett-st., Drummoyne.

WANTED, 2 exp. Housemaids, permanent positions; also Laundress. Apply Coogee Bay Hotel.

WANTED, 2 experienced WAITRESSES, must have good refs. Apply Coogee Bay Hotel.

WANTED, PANTRYMAID. 141 Bathurst-st.

WAITRESS, experienced; also KITCHENWOMAN. Start to-day. 777 George-st.

WANTED, PANTRYMAID, KITCHENMAID, and WAITRESS. 126 Bathurst-st.

WANTED, WAITRESS. 134 Bathurst-st., near Pitt-st.

WANTED, Mother's HELP, good home. Apply 238 King-st., Newtown.

WANTED, young, experienced lady, New Drink Bar. [illegible]-st. Apply after 9, upstairs.

WANTED, capable HOUSEMAID, good wages. Eagle-[illegible], 71 Darlinghurst-rd.

WANTED, YARDMAN, must be a good milker. F. Calver, [illegible], Wharf-road, Killara.

WANTED, young GIRL to do morning's work. 39 Macleay-st., Potts Point.

WANTED, young GIRL, housework, 7 to 1; no Sunday work. Kellett House, Kellett-st., D'hurst.

WANTED, a reliable COOK. Apply Nirvana, 15 Elizabeth Bay-rd., Elizabeth Bay.

WANTED, a HOUSEMAID-WAITRESS. Apply Nirvana, 15 Elizabeth Bay-rd., Elizabeth Bay.

WANTED, Yardman, must be good milker. P. J. Monaghan, Homebush-rd., Strathfield. T., L6250.

WANTED, good, reliable General, start at once. Brown's Residential Cafe, 77 Goulburn-st.

WANTED, a HOUSEMAID-GENERAL, no washing. Apply early, 108 Hunter-st., city.

WAITRESS, experienced, wanted at once. Cecil Cafe, 285 Pitt-st., near Park-st.

WANTED, superior person, to take charge of home, reference, 2 adults. Qui Vive, Hazelbank-rd. and Morton-st., off Lane Cove-rd., North Sydney.

WANTED, young GIRL, for housework, from 8.30 to 12 noon. Apply
Telephone, 212 Edgecliff.

WANTED, a Woman COOK, for the Salvation Army Aged Men's Retreat, Collaroy, Manly. Apply to Brigadier WILSON, People's Palace, 400 Pitt-street.

WANTED, WAITRESSES and PANTRYMAIDS. Apply SARGENT'S, 240 George-st., 10 o'clock, every morning until Friday, 21st.

WANTED, COOK-GENERAL, or Lady Help, 25/ a week. Maroomba, Melaleuca-st., off Almora-st., Mosman. Y2771.

WANTED, Sober, Trustworthy MAN, Groom, Garden, and Useful. References required. Apply, 9.30 a.m., C. PHILLIPS, 62 Pitt-street, Sydney.

WANTED, PANTRYMAID, good wages. Apply, 8 o'clock, also WOMAN to Scrub, 2 days week.
248 PITT-STREET.

WANTED, quiet, reliable MAID for lady, from 8 to 1 o'clock. At once, by letter, Miss LARENER, 9 Elizabeth Bay-road, Darlinghurst.

WANTED, Girl to do Housework, small family, from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. Levina Cottage, Dowling-street, Kensington, opp. Victory Park.

WANTED, refined H'keeper, for 1 month, good plain cook, refs. req. GILGAREE, Stanley-street, Randwick. 'Phone, 131.

WOMAN required for light housework, help with children (walking). Courthouse Hotel, Oxford-street, Darlinghurst.

WANTED, 2 light Generals, same place, no cooking, washing, £1, Manly; light General, city, 15/. Miss GEORGE, Rawson-chambers, Sydney Station.

WANTED, resp. WOMAN, to wash, constant; must be good, clean washer. Apply after 10,
164 King-street, Newtown.

WANTED, Young LADIES, for refreshment rooms; also PANTRYMAID. PETERS, Ocean Beach, Manly. 'Phone, 964.

WANTED, HOUSEMAID for small private hospital, light duties. Apply before 1 p.m. to St. Aubyns, Holt-avenue, Neutral Bay. Tel., Y2501.

WANTED, first-class WAITER, £1/10/ per week. Apply Fernbank, Gilbert Park, Manly. Also Housemaid-Laundress, start at once. 'Phone, 207 Manly.

WAITRESSES wanted, Hotel Kosciusko and Jenolan Caves House. Apply
TOURIST BUREAU, Challis House.

WANTED, Housemaid or L. General, no cooking, ironing, or washing. Beresford, Darley-road, Randwick. Telephone, Randwick 1198.

WANTED, at once, resp. GIRL as light General, sleep home, able to cook, light place. ULOOM, Gillies-st., Wollstonecraft.

WANTED, competent WOMAN, 3 days per week, for Cleaning and Ironing. Mrs. BROWN,
Tel., J1291. James-street, Chatswood.

WANTED, smart WOMAN, three days, house cleaning, at once. Apply Clyburn, Martin-avenue, Bondi, off Ocean-street.

WANTED, 2 young Men, about 18 years, help milk and deliver. SHEPHERD and WYATT, Normanhurst Dairy, Normanhurst.

WANTED, SECOND-GRADE STEWARDS.
Apply Stores Department,
UNION STEAMSHIP COMPANY OF N.Z., LTD.,
Margaret-street Wharf.

WANTED, young GENERAL, Plain Cook, no wash., gas stove, help kept, good wages.
104 Catherine-street, Leichhardt.
'Phone, 339 Pet.

WANTED, COMPT. GENERAL, small cottage, comfortable home. WARINGA, right-hand side Reynolds-street, off Waters-road, Neutral Bay.
Tel., North 1071.

WANTED, GENERAL, personal references, 2 adults, other help kept, no washing, little ironing, good wages. Apply
171 Carrington-road, Waverley.

WORKING HOUSEKEEPER; start after Xmas; wages 20/. Apply between 10.30 a.m. and 4 p.m., new house, corner Wellington and Fullerton streets, Woollahra. Telephone, Edg. 1002.

WANTED, GENERAL, for two adults, in flat, no washing or ironing, fare paid. Apply 10 a.m.,
Mrs. RITCHIE, Breildoune,
Elizabeth Bay-road.

WANTED, Lady Help, must understand telephone, 2 in family, wages £1. Apply 4 East Esplanade, Manly.

WANTED, GENERAL, good home, easy place.
Apply
AWABA,
Waters-road,
'Phone, North 1667. Neutral Bay.

WANTED, HOUSEMAID-WAITRESS, also GENERAL, for select Country Club, close to Sydney, wages 25s each. Apply
PACIFIC MANSIONS, Lower Domain.

WANTED, a HOUSEMAN, wait on dining room, vegs. only.
Apply
81 Macleay-street.

WANTED, Competent GENERAL or LADY HELP, 25/ week, no laundry, one adult, 2 children, nurse kept. Edge. 747. ST. RONAN'S, Victoria-road, Bellevue Hill.

WANTED, for Moss Vale, Young Woman as good plain cook, 3 in family, wages £1, train fare paid. Tel. 22 Kogarah. Apply Mrs. P. T. Richardson, Wickham, Arncliffe.

WANTED, NURSE, for one infant, must have personal references. Apply after 2 o'clock,
CRANBROOK COTTAGE,
New South Head-road, Double Bay.

WANTED, good COOK for private hospital, gas stove, liberal outings, housemaid kept, good salary. Apply before 1 p.m., with references. Tel., [illegible].
St. Aubyns, Holt-avenue, Neutral Bay.

WANTED, two WARDSMAIDS, wages [illegible], one KITCHENMAID, and one Relieving MAID, wages [illegible]. Permanent positions, [illegible]. Start at once. Apply Matron, Children's Hospital, Camperdown.

WANTED, a smart Order WAITRESS, also Tea WAITRESS.
WALKER'S RESTAURANT,
29 Park-street.

WANTED, superior GIRL, as GENERAL, washing optional, good home, adult family, evenings free, easy place. EXETER, Bannerman-street, through Arthur and Clara streets, Randwick.

WANTED, COOK, 20s, kitchenmaid kept, temporary, sleep in or daily, 3 adults, Woollahra, comfortable home. Interview arranged at Miss LAYARD'S, Penzance-chambers, 29 Elizabeth-street.

WANTED, MOTHER and DAUGHTER or FRIENDS, as COOK and HOUSE-PARLOUR MAID, can be divided, comfortable station home. [illegible] Apply Miss Layard, Penzance-chambers, 29 Elizabeth-st.

WANTED, REFINED YOUNG Maid, most light duties, flat, sleep home. Apply
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WANTED, A COMPETENT HOUSEMAID-WAITRESS. Small Boarding-house.
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Mrs. NORMAN [illegible],
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Two minutes from Little Coogee tram.

WANTED,
FIRST-CLASS HOUSEMAID,
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Apply early,
HOTEL STEYNE, Manly.

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WAITRESSES,
Midday (temporary), for Mark Foy's Restaurant.
Apply early.
MARK FOY'S, LTD.

WORKING HOUSEKEEPERS, bachelors, 20/ and 25/, interv. 11 o'c.; M. Couple, wife H'keeper, man general station work, [illegible]; Friends, or Mother and Daughter, [illegible], 5 adults, [illegible], 11 o'c.; Cook-L'dress, part time H'keeper, W. line, 40/, 11 o'c.; middle aged H.P.Mds., 20/, stations; others, suburbs. Mother and Daughter, Dairy; Cook-Generals, 25/, 27/, 30/; H.Md., W'tress, 20/, 2, N. Sydney; others. At Mrs. M'CLUSKEY'S, Federal Protestant Registry, 70 Hunter-street. Tel., 1967.

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PAVILION,
CIRCULAR QUAY.

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SITUATIONS WANTED.

A RELIABLE Man, 50, will assist house, kit., handy outdoor, mod. wage, refs. A.C.H., P.O., Oxf.-st.

A DAILY SITUATION wanted, all duties. Reliable, Neutral Bay P.O., Military-rd.

AT Donaldson's, 41 Eliz.-st. (City). Barmaids, Usefuls, H'maids, Gardeners, M. Couples, mgmt. of hotels.

A WIDOWED LADY like Pos., H'keeper to workmen. Mrs. McArthur, c/o Mr. McGregor, [illegible]-st., Lchdt.

AS Gardener, Useful, cleaning up, 1 to 3 days a wk., [illegible]. Evans, 2 Mountjoy-st., Leichhardt.

AT Crown Agency.—Waiting, compt. Laundress, 4 daily, 6/, and fares. [illegible] City 566.

A COMPETENT LAUNDRESS wants day work, washing, ironing, clean., any sub. L'dress, W'wood P.O.

AS Kitchenman or Asst. Cook, able to relieve, clean, sober. Arthur, Herald Office.

AS Gardener, Useful, milk, good, handy, mid.-ag. man, total. wages, refs. 3185, Herald Office.

A WAITING POS. At MARTIN'S, 41 Eliz.-st. 'Ph. 10110.—French Chef, 80/; exp. Barmaid, for city; Mar. Couples, for all parts; Hotel Usefuls; [illegible].

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CAPABLE young Woman requires Cleaning, Washing by day, 6/. Ref. S.A., Crown-st. P.O.

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GIRL, 17, wants SIT., assist housework, experienced. State wages. 27, Williams-st. P.O.

GARDENER, with own scythe, good mower. 66 Walker-st., North Sydney, off Ridge-st.

GENTLEWOMAN wishes Position, Mountains, January. Open one week. Miss THOMPSON, Post-office, North Sydney.

LADY, daily work, light duties and plain sewing, any kind, 5/ and car. 3122, Herald.

LADY req. POS. as Working Housekeeper, elderly couple or widower. No. 3189, Herald.

MOTHER and daughter seek Pos., Cook, Housemaid, [illegible] Stewart-st., Manly.

MOTHER and Daughter like Place, city, W. Housekeeper and Help. 55 Prospect-st., Erskineville.

O. A. PENSIONER, resp., wants light job, caretaking or similar, wages no object. No. 3196, Herald.

RESP. young Woman, 1 baby, wants [illegible], 198 Oxford-st., Paddington.

RESP. young Woman wants work, [illegible] house work, daily or wk. E.P., 300 Ocean-st., W'lahra.

RELIABLE Woman wants work [illegible], good cook, [illegible] Glebe.

RESP., trustworthy Woman wants SIT as General. No. 30, Paddington Post-office.

RESPECTABLE WOMAN, with girl 17, requires Position, Housekeeper, good plain cook. V. G., Post-office, Lewisham.

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SMART Girl requires Pos., h'maid, hotel pref. Miss Burton, 2 Westmoreland-st., Forest Lodge.

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TO HOTEL EMPLOYERS.—Young man requires Sit. Relieving Barman or Barman, useful, during Xmas, disengaged. Dec. 21 to Jan. 2. Iolanthe, Challis-st., Randwick.

WANTED, Work, by day, Wash., Clean., Wed., Thur., Friday. M. J., 95 Barcom-avenue, Darlinghurst.

WANTED, by competent Person, Position, cook-general, hotel, city, subs. M.O., P.O., Bondi.

WANTED, Position, working housekeeper, experienced person, thor. rel. M.O., P.O., Bondi. 2 weeks.

WOMAN Pensioner wants Place Trust. S. C., Mascot P.O.

WIDOW, with girl, 10, like Position as Light General, small wages. Mrs. S. Hall, Newtown P.O.

WANTED, JOB on Orchard, experienced, good worker. 2850, Herald.

WOMAN, with husband, wants Position, Caretaker, furn. cott. or week-ends. P.P.P., P.O., Hornsby.

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YOUNG, competent worker seeks Cleaning or Washing, daily. Miss Kenning, P.O., Randwick.

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